

By Ralph Cole
Medina Hospital authorities were rather busy last Friday, Feb. 15. Six babies were born within a 12 hour period, starting at 9:02 a.m. and ending around 9:30 p.m. Five of the babies were boys.

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"At the retail level, nothing like newspaper advertising the product has been worthwhile," is priced right, and if in any way, promotion follows through." statement was made the other day by a Philadelphia advertising man, speaking at a sales conference. He gave the example of his clients, who gained \$8 million in retail sales over a 12-month period for an advertising expenditure of less than \$10,000. He added: "The real result of newspaper advertising is the other and newer media are their place — but they can't replace the newspaper. That is why the papers in the little town are no less than those in the big cities."

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Airminded citizens of Hondo are now able to get American Airlines reservations and tickets at the local Southern Pacific station, E. J. Johnson, local agent, said last week. The new convenience for the flying public came effective Tuesday, Feb. 19.

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Entomologists of the Texas Agricultural Extension Service have prepared informational leaflets covering control measures for the worst offenders in the insect world. The recently released leaflets include stored grain insects, Texas guide for control of cotton insects, and ways to control the pink bollworm. The leaflets are available through the office of C. B. Gass, county agent, or from the Agricultural Information Office, College Station.

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According to O. L. Moss, city secretary, no one has filed for office of mayor. Two councilmen, Milton Batot and W. J. Water, have filed for reelection. The deadline date for filing is March 30 days prior to the election.

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Railroad work in Hondo kept things for several days last week. New cross ties have been placed along the railroad at and west of Hondo, and a new crossing was in process on Ave. M Wednesday. A new crossing was finished on Ave J Tuesday.

Seventeen Votes Cast In Election

Only seventeen votes were cast in the tax and bond assumption election held last Saturday in Hondo Independent School District. The election carried for two against, and the bond assumption election 16 for 1 against.

Neither election had any effect on the present tax rate nor bond indebtedness of the Hondo Independent School District, but were required to spread both over the territory added to the district last summer.

Texas Water Problem--1

Water and Growth

Editor's Note: This six part series on Texas Water Problems is reprinted through the permission of the Dallas Morning News.

By Stuart McGregor
We forgot about water — we humans did. Now we've had a little awakening. Suddenly we are realizing that the availability of water is the limiting factor in economic development. And we are getting some hurtful publicity in the deal.

Our forefathers dimly realized the problem when they came to the well-watered, timbered South and began settling the woodlands and prairies that lay toward the great arid lands of the plains country.

Food and water became a vexing expression of a necessary requirement. Yet through generations, our people have clung to the Old Southern idea that a permanent thing — a gift of nature — and not a natural resource to be conserved and developed like oil or gas.

It would have been fairly good if Texas had never produced beyond the livestock-raising and crop-growing stage. Texas is an economy over the east half of the state. And most of the state, both east and west, is unland with ample underground water — for moderate purposes.

But we bored for oil as well as water. And we hit oil. Some of us hit oil while boring for water. Today, we have half of the nation's oil reserves. We produce oil in 140 out of our 254



KOCH WINS — George Koch, O'Brien, San Antonio, and Datus Hondo, is pictured at right with his prize winning San Antonio Livestock Exposition steer, H. B. steer was purchased by a brewing company for \$44 per hundred weight.

Rootplowed Rangeland

Recent Rains Help

Recent rains in the Medina Valley SCD will do a lot of good for those farmers and ranchers who are rootplowing their rangeland. Cheeks have been made on plots rootplowed in 1956. The results are good on all rangeland plowed. Both native and introduced grasses are coming up to a good stand and should do good with present rainfall.

The rootplowing practice is needed on almost all rangeland in the district. Most rangeland has a heavy infestation of brush and cannot be very productive even in good years, unless something is done to get rid of the present cover of brush. With the local ASC office paying up to \$6 per acre for rootplowing, farmers and ranchers can now get rid of brush at a low cost.

The following farmers and ranchers are rootplowing or have just completed rootplowing on their farms and ranches: Oscar Karm of Castroville, Lawrence Rothe of D'Hanis, John B. Nester of D'Hanis and the H. F. Richardson ranch of D'Hanis.

Meetings have been planned by the Soil Conservation District Supervisors for the purpose of discussing the planting of grasses. Since the Soil Bank program calls for the planting of fields to grass, the Supervisors felt that the method of seeding grass should be discussed with farmers before planting time. Meetings will be held at the following places:

Feb. 28, 7:30 p.m. at the Devine High School cafeteria; March 7, 7:30 p.m. at the Yancey High School auditorium.

Salazar Boy Injured By Thrown Rock

Carlos Salazar, second grade student attending the H. J. Meyer Elementary School, received a serious injury to his left eye last week when he was struck by a thrown rock.

Carlos was rushed to the Robert B. Green Hospital by his mother upon the advice of a local physician.

Dr. B. K. Williams, eye surgeon at the hospital, advised Superintendent J. G. Barry by telephone Monday morning that he was able to save Carlos' eye, but that he would have only partial vision from it. Carlos was to return home Tuesday.

Deaths

A correction from last week's paper listed in our "Death Column", Mrs. Otis Nester. It should have been Mrs. Nester's father, Walter H. Schawe of Knappa.

(Editors' Note: Unless otherwise indicated, a news account for each person listed is printed elsewhere in this issue of the Herald.)

WALTER SCHAW
No information available at Herald office.

Catholic Meeting Sunday

The annual meeting of the Southwest District of the Catholic State League will be held in D'Hanis, Sunday, Feb. 24, beginning with Benediction of the Most Blessed Sacrament in Holy Cross Church at 1:30 p.m., with the Pastor, Father O. B. Kahlick officiating. The meeting will be held in St. Dominic's Hall, with District President, Daniel Keller, Rio Medina, presiding. B. L. Reininger, San Antonio is secretary.

Main speaker for the meeting will be Most Reverend Stephan A. Leven, Auxiliary Bishop of San Antonio. Due to a previous engagement later in the evening, Bishop Leven will deliver his address at the opening of the meeting.

Several of the State officers will be present, which include the Men, Ladies and Youth Sections. Mike Smith, District Rural Life Representative will outline the requirements for participation in the Rural Life Awards Program of the District. This year, six awards will be given — three for boys and three for girls. Participation is open to any Catholic boy or girl.

The meeting is open to the public and the district officers, the Pastor and the parishioners of Holy Cross Church in D'Hanis extend a cordial invitation to attend.

Committee Names '57 Holidays

The Retail Merchants Committee of the Hondo Chamber of Commerce has announced 1957's schedule of holidays. The committee met Feb. 19 at the Chamber office.

They are as follows: Memorial Day, Thursday, May 30 — All business houses will close at 3 p.m. and remain closed for the remainder of the day. This change in closing time has been recommended by local veteran's organizations.

Good Friday, April 19. Labor Day, Monday, Sept. 2. Veteran's Day, Monday, Nov. 11. Thanksgiving Day, Thursday, Nov. 28. Christmas Day, Wednesday, Dec. 25. New Years Day, Jan. 1, 1958. The Retail Merchants Committee is composed of Buster Ratter, Milton Batot, Ralph DeMontel, Henry Finger, G. C. Grisham, Welton Meyer, Herbert Moehring, Milton Ormond, Mrs. Marie Richter, L. E. Pope and Mrs. Winnie Braden.

Medina County Baseball Plans Started This Week

Catholic Services Planned

The Catholic Religious Mission for Hondo Air Base will be held at the Base Chapel Feb. 24 to March 1. The Rev. Paul V. Maloney, of the Paulist Fathers, has been invited to again conduct the Mission, after the success of his Mission here last year.

Services are scheduled each evening at 7:30, Monday through Thursday, Feb. 25-28, and will consist of prayers, sermons and Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament. Hondo AB Catholic Choir will provide music each night, and a short period of fellowship will follow each evening service. Mass will be offered each morning at 6 a.m., Monday through Friday.

Father Maloney has been a member of the Paulist Fathers' Mission Band, which has its headquarters in Austin, since September 1955. The chief work of the Paulists is to make better known and understood the teachings and practices of the Catholic Church, particularly by lecturing and writing.

During World War II, Father Maloney served as chaplain of the U. S. Navy.

Father Harold Ehlinger, Catholic Auxiliary Chaplain of Hondo Air Base, cordially invites the public to attend all the services of the Mission.

Gas Truck Burns; 5,720 Gallons Lost

A gasoline truck, loaded with 5,720 gallons of Sinclair gas, burned on Highway 90, one mile east of Dunlay Tuesday afternoon.

Elton Moore, 41, and driver of the truck, said he stopped to fix a flat tire and while putting the jack under the truck noticed flames. He said he tried to put them out with his fire extinguisher but later decided to get away from the burning mixture before it exploded. The truck, a 1953 International, never exploded but was a total loss. Moore is from San Antonio.

The truck was loaded in San Antonio and was headed for Hondo at the time of the fire. It was an A&A Transport Co. truck. Heat damaged the highway some but no other damage or loss was reported.

D'Hanis Vote

D'HANIS — Tax payers of the D'Hanis Independent School District voted overwhelmingly for an all-out improvement of their school plant by a decisive 161-12 majority, for an increase in taxes from \$1 to \$1.25, in the election held Saturday, Feb. 16.

Bonds are being authorized for sale by the D'Hanis School Board, and plans are going forward for an early start on the building program, according to B. J. Stewart, superintendent of D'Hanis schools.

Sixteen Practices Approved

County Conservation Program

Harold J. Baker, manager of the Medina County ASC office in Hondo, has announced agricultural conservation programs for 1957. Sixteen practices have been approved for Medina County.

They are as follows: A-2, Initial establishment of a permanent cover for soil protection or as a needed land-use adjustment.

A-6, Initial establishment of field strip cropping to protect soil from wind or water erosion.

B-3, Controlling competitive shrubs to permit growth of adequate desirable vegetation cover for soil protection on range or pasture land.

B-5, Constructing wells for livestock water as a means of protecting vegetative cover.

B-7, Constructing or sealing dams, pits, or ponds for livestock

water as a means of protecting vegetative cover.

B-8, Installing pipelines for livestock water as a means of protecting vegetative cover.

B-9, Constructing permanent fences as a means of protecting vegetative cover.

C-1, Initial establishment of permanent sod waterways to dispose of excess water without causing erosion.

C-4, Constructing terraces to detail or control the flow of water and check soil erosion.

C-5, Constructing diversion ter-

Hondo Little League, Highway 90 Lay Plans

Both the Highway 90 League and Hondo's Little Leagues have started the ball rolling on their 1957 seasons.

Highway 90 will officially open April 7, while the Little Leagues start their season in early June. Wayne Sigler, president of the Little Leagues, said a clinic will be held March 5 at the Hondo High School gymnasium for all managers, umpires and scorekeepers. The clinic will be conducted by J. G. Barry, superintendent of schools.

Tryouts have been set for not later than two weeks after the end of school, which is May 24. A clinic for all boys playing in the Little Leagues will be held between the time school is out and the time tryouts begin.

The clinic, Sigler said, will be to teach the boys the fundamentals of baseball. Five men, besides Barry, will conduct the

Castroville Sets City Elections

Castroville has set their city elections for April 2, the first Tuesday in April.

Three vacancies will be up — mayor and two councilmen. There have been no applications received at the city offices as yet.

Applicants must file before March 2, 30 days before the election.

boys' clinic — Dr. J. H. Jennings, S. H. Parsons, C. D. Sadler, Blanton Taylor and William Wood. Sigler said there was a possibility of securing Clint Hartung of the Sinton Oilers to help with the clinic.

New Diamond

Facing the boys this year will be a new baseball diamond, donated by Universal - Rundle Corp. The Hondo business has also donated a building for equipment, and water for the field.

Main topic of discussion at a Little League meeting held Friday was the lighting of the Little League Field. Sigler said approximately \$600 would be needed to light the field, and an additional \$300 for electricity to be used during the season. All labor would be donated and equipment is being secured at cost. Donations are being accepted by Sigler and Dr. Jennings.

Directors of the Little Leagues expect 200 boys to turn out for this year's season play. That would mean about 10 or 12 teams, Sigler pointed out. Two rounds will probably be played, constituting the full season.

Highway 90

Frank Ducos was named president of the Highway 90 League at a meeting held Monday night at Castroville. At the same time, Earl Tschirhart was named secretary and Johnny Biediger Jr. and Harold Balmos retired as president and secretary, respectively.

Highway 90 members voted Uvalde into the League, making it a six member organization. Quiba and Hondo Air Base will not participate in this year's three-round contest. Rio Medina asked for two weeks to make up their minds as to whether they would enter competition this year or stay out of the League. If Rio Medina chooses to stay out, only five teams will be included.

With three rounds, games would start April 7 and end July 14, playoffs following after the last game.

Ducos asked all team managers to have a roster to the secretary one week before the opening of the season.

Teams this year will include LaCote, Hondo, D'Hanis, Uvalde, Rio Medina and Castroville.

Representatives from those teams attended the Monday meeting.

Utopia was earlier invited to join the League.

Knights Plan Recollection This Sunday

The Uvalde Area Knights of Columbus will sponsor a Day of Recollection Sunday, Feb. 24, at St. Mary's Catholic Church, Uvalde.

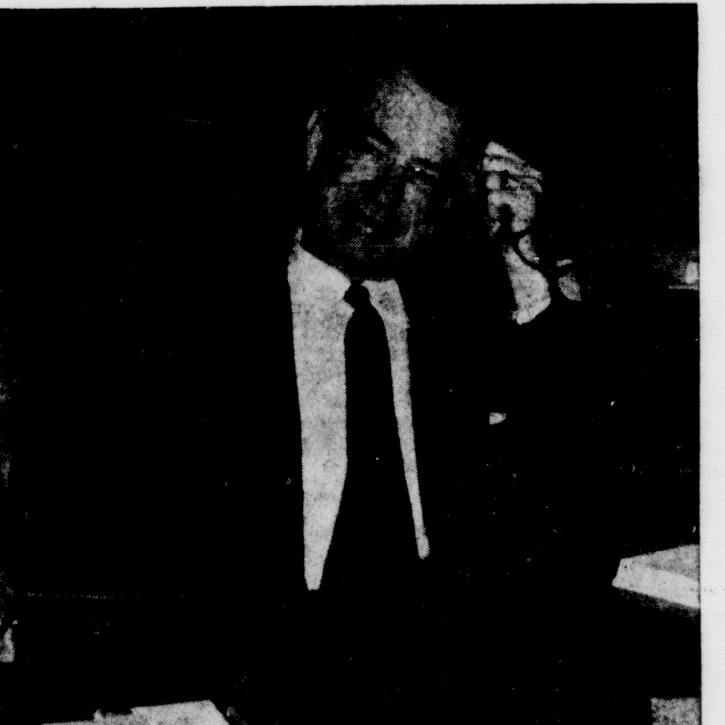
Services will begin at the 9 a.m. Mass with the Knights receiving Holy Communion in a body. Retreat Master for the day will be the Rev. Roy Rihn of San Antonio. His first sermon will be at 11 a.m. and continue at intervals until 4 p.m. when services will close with Benediction.

Every member of the Knights and wives are cordially invited to participate and are urged to bring along a guest. The members of the Holy Name are also asked to take part.

Local Red Cross To Hold Meeting

The local chapter of the American Red Cross will hold its annual meeting to elect officers on Thursday, Feb. 28, at 7:30 p.m. at Wood and Wood Insurance office.

The meeting is open to all members.



FEATURED — Rep. Jack Richardson, above, is featured in this week's issue of the Anvil Herald. The story was written for Herald readers by Jo Ann Goodell, and tells of Richardson's life in Austin.

★ Anvil Herald Editorials And Features ★

To Look At Hospitals

THE TIME HAS COME

by JERRY JUNE BERGER

The time has come when Hondo and the surrounding area must begin to think of its hospital facilities.

For one-third of a century, Mrs. Mary Cook and Mrs. Alice Bertreaver have worked diligently caring for the ill and injured. They founded their Medina Hospital when hospitals in a town of this size were considered a rare thing, and there is not a citizen in the county who has worked harder at his work than these ladies have.

But they are beginning to think they would like to retire and have expressed the hope that the county will do something soon about another hospital.

In a conversation with Mrs. Cook Saturday we learned that they would like to see their present facilities turned into a convalescent home for the aged and certainly the physical plant is ideally set-up for such a project.

Mrs. Cook emphasized that they would continue as a hospital until the area has other facilities, but she also expressed the hope that something could be started on a new hospital soon. As she commented, "It would be a year before much could be done on a new one, and by that time Mrs. Bertreaver and I will be a year older."

The area could build a county hospital, in which case it is possible that the federal government would put up half the money for the project. Under the terms of the Hill-Burton bill, the federal government will match up to 50 per cent of local funds designated for a hospital and its equipment.

Although this federal bill has been renewed from time to time, there is no guarantee that the funds will be available forever. If this is the path the citizens of the county choose to take, it should be instigated soon. Having that much money as a gift with so few strings attached would mean a great deal in getting the physical plant set up.

Despite the fact that Mrs. Cook and Mrs. Bertreaver have added on to

their original hospital several times, the area is once again outgrowing available facilities. It is estimated that the area which is served here should have a 35-bed plant. Of course some of these beds would not be filled every day, but when the need arises they would be available. Hondo is considered in the evacuation zone for San Antonio, Kelly Air Force Base and Lackland and although we hope an emergency never exists which would call for an evacuation of those areas, a fully equipped hospital would literally be a life-saver if it did come to pass.

Ideally a new hospital would have grouped rooms and facilities for a maternity section, for a medical section and for surgery. Patients in each of these three different categories have different needs — some need seclusion, others need isolation and a few need absolute quiet. A new hospital would also include a laboratory with diagnostic facilities which would tend to eliminate a patient being sent on to San Antonio for this test or that. An on-the-job technician could also keep tab on a walking blood bank, as there are cases when waiting an hour for blood from San Antonio would be fatal for a hemorrhaging patient.

But this editorial isn't written to stimulate the building of a hospital before all angles are studied. We want our readers to think about the situation, study it, and express opinions. There is a pro and con to every question and so it is with building a county hospital. All these questions must be worked out to the satisfaction of a majority. The important thing is that we get some kind of movement going soon, for building projects go slowly and Medina County must keep pace with the times or become a backslider. Certainly we need to maintain adequate hospital facilities at all times.

The Anvil Herald will welcome your opinions on the hospital future of Medina County. Let us hear from you, whether it be vocally or as a letter to the editor. Time's a wasting.

NO TIME TO LOSE!



On the Local Level

Our nation faces a grave situation due to inadequate supply of competent scientists and engineers, because of the failure to develop and support science and mathematics education in our elementary and secondary schools.

Such programs of education in many of these schools are inadequate due to an insufficient supply of competent teachers, largely because salaries are too low to attract them. A concern of every community, and particularly of its industry, should be to provide adequate salaries for teachers.

American industry believes there should be better support of schools on the local level, and holds that companies employing scientific and engineering manpower should utilize all available techniques to support school authorities in the provision of adequate education in science and mathematics.

Certainly more qualified students would consider science and engineering if given a better understanding of the opportunities in these fields, and if given more stimulating and inspirational teaching.

LETTER TO THE EDITOR

Dear Sir:

We have spent many years compiling a genealogy of all branches of the Ketchum and Ketcham families of the U. S. and Canada.

I have been told that a Ketchum man was killed somewhere in Medina Co. by Indians during the Civil War.

Can you or your readers tell me the name of the man, where he was killed or buried, where he came from, and the names of any of his relatives either older or younger than he?

(The history of a county in Illinois says that a Peter R. Ketchum, Methodist preacher, went from there to Texas before the Civil War and most of his family were killed by Indians. We searched the census records and found that Peter was in Caldwell Co. in 1850 and 1860, that he had been born about 1800 somewhere in Virginia, and the children with him in 1850 were Peter R. Ketchum Jr., Margaret,

Chester, and John, born 1836-43 in Illinois. The 1840 census shows that he had 2 older boys born 1820-25 but census records previous to 1850 do not give the names of the children. It is said that Peter returned to Illinois just about in time to enlist, was sent to Missouri, and died in the service, Apr. 22, 1862. We can find nothing to indicate that any of his children returned to Illinois with him. We have not found his obituary or anything that might tell just where Peter was born in Virginia, nor who his wife was. We are very anxious to know about this man killed in Medina Co. even if he was not a relative of Peter. We expect to finish our book soon and have it published. We want to include as many Ketchums as possible even if we don't know their lineage.)

Thank you so much for even a little information about any Ketchums.

Very truly yours,
(Mrs.) Marianne Ketchum
Genoa, New York

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KILGORE'S CAPITOL COMMENT

By Joe Kilgore

THE CONTINUING WATER shortage and drought probably had a lot to do with the high level of Soil Bank applications all over South Texas. I became quite concerned with the fact that funds shortages quickly developed in most counties.

For over two weeks I had been in daily contact with Department of Agriculture officials and later with the President's advisor on agriculture, outlining our problem. As you know we were successful. Funds for Texas for the Conservation Reserve Program were increased by about one-third. Then funds were re-allocated in the Acreage Reserve Program for cotton so that all farms would be considered. In short, the Department of Agriculture told the State and County Committees to accept all applications for the Acreage Reserve for cotton up to 10 acres or 30 per cent of a farm's cotton allotment, whichever is larger.

Next year I am hopeful that the program will be in operation early enough to meet the early crop schedule in South Texas as without these crises.

HERE IN MY OFFICE in Washington and in McAllen when I am there during the Congressional recess I receive and reply to lots of letters, wires, telephone calls and personal visitors.

It is hard to say what the total would be, but right now we are averaging about 1,000 pieces of correspondence a week. It is needless to say that in order to stay current on that work load I have some very competent people helping me in the office. Many of you know my secretary, Mrs. Celia Hare Martin of McAllen. She was in Washington with former Congressman Lloyd Benton Jr. for six years, and is an outstanding Congressional Secretary. Here in the office we join with her many friends in wishing Mrs. Martin a speedy recovery after she underwent major surgery in Georgetown University Hospital this week.

treasury has budget problems too. One day he commented that the President's \$71.9 billion budget, the largest peacetime budget in our history, could be and should be cut. In hearings before the House Committee on Appropriations he said that some departments should attempt to reduce spending. However, the budget request for his own Treasury Department for fiscal year 1957 was jumped from \$7,155,986, 000 to \$8,003,243,000 and the request for fiscal year 1958 is even higher, \$8,154,037,000.

AIR TRAFFIC is getting heavier at a much more rapid rate than most of us realize. Here at the Washington National Airport during 1956 there were 240,890 takeoffs and landings, an average of upwards of 700 per day. Much more staggering, New York's Idlewild Airport had an average of 2,600 takeoffs and landings daily, almost one arrival or departure every 30 seconds.

VISITORS from the 15th District this past week were many. They included Cecil Willis of Natalia, O. L. Moss and Riggs Shepard of Hondo and Carleton Adams Jr. of Devine.

Fletcher. Davis

ABOUT THE BOOK OF BOOKS
PRESENTS SOME INTERESTING FACTS

From Mrs. Velma Taylor's Just Ramblin' Column in her Holly Springs (Miss.) South Reporter, we glean the following interesting facts about the holy Book of Books.

Read and be informed!
And we quote:

The Bible topped the best seller book list again this year with sales reaching the eighty-million mark. Which reminds us that it was actually the demand for copies of the Bible that brought about the development by Johann Gutenberg of a system of movable type and, in 1450, a simple press with which he was able to print a complete Bible in five years.

He printed an edition of this Bible on vellum. One of the three in existence was given to the United States Government for the Congressional Library at Washington by Otto Voelbein of Berlin, who paid \$305,000.00 for it in 1926.

In England, William Tyndale's decision to print the Bible from movable type stirred so much opposition that he had to leave that country and go to Cologne, but in two years he had the Bible printed and several hundred of them sold in England. At first there was a law against this and later as many of the Bibles as could be found were burned. Popular demand, however, had its influence and in a few years the English Government, under Queen Elizabeth, fostered the printing of the Bible.

Now it is said to have been published in more than 853,000 languages and dialects. When the revised version of the New Testa-

ment was completed in 1971, several thousand paper makers, printers and binders were employed to get it into circulation.

It is said that one million copies were issued to the public during the first twenty-four hours. In order to avoid the rush for the book and to meet the demand as nearly as possible, the publication began at midnight. It was circulated in nearly all parts of the world and nearly all the newspapers called attention to it by their criticism.

America was as eager for the word of God as England. Chicago was an anxious to have it as New York; but as the fastest train then known could not travel the distance between the two cities in less than twenty-six hours it seemed as if Chicago would have to be content to receive the Revised Bible a day or two after New York. No train could reach Chicago on Saturday until the stores and printing places had closed.

It was the publisher of one of that city's daily papers who said "Chicago shall have the New Testament at least within a day after New York gets it. And so — ninety telegraphic operators were set to work, sending the whole of the precious Book Matthew through Revelation over the wires. Men were ready and waiting to set up the type and the Revised New Testament was a solid, complete, on-the-streets of Chicago on the day after its publication in England and in New York.

What would William Tyndale have thought of such an achievement?

Seco Looking For Proper Substitute For Soil Bank

Editor's note: The Seco Philosopher on his Johnson grass farm will get no where with his idea this week, but we don't guess you can blame him for trying.

Dear editor:

Here of late I have been giving considerable thought to the Soil Bank, since nearly every newspaper you pick up has an article or two on it, and where there are several aspects of the Bank that suit me, for example, I have no objection of leaving land unplowed and I never have objected to opening a letter and finding a check in it, it seems to me the Soil Bank idea hasn't been carried far enough.

What I mean is, putting a few acres in the Bank may be fine, but like any modern bank it ought to offer more services.

For example, I can't find any provision for putting my tractor in it.

Now as I understand the purpose of the Soil Bank, it's designed to take land out of cultivation and reduce the surplus, and one of the worst culprits as far as producing a surplus is concerned is the tractor.

What the government needs, if it really wants to wipe out that surplus, is to establish a Tractor Bank. The way I see it, this would be a lot simpler than the

Soil Bank. Wouldn't require measuring, any inspecting, no complicated paper work. All you'd have to do is mail your tractor key to Washington, then mail you a check back and when the surplus was due to where the experts figured was safe to return your tractor let em drop it in the mail. Your tractor doesn't have a key, have one installed. After all, a man ought to be willing to do his part to end the surplus, without relying on the government for everything.

Now I know that somebody gonna say, what about the man with two tractors, or the man with two tractors? Well, naturally the banking business is not all smooth sailing, you're bound to find dead ends in any enterprise, but on the whole, if the check was as good as gold, there wouldn't be many people who'd slip around and out of bootleg a little plowing on side and after dark. At least sure wouldn't catch me doing it.

If you think this idea has merit, I'd like to say I've got my key here in my hand ready to drop in the mail.

Yours faithfully,
J. A.

Heartfelt Help For Hearts

Now that we have given our annual St. Valentine's Day gift to those we love, it is time for us to think of additional gifts from our hearts — for the hearts of every Texan and American.

The Texas and American Heart Associations have passed the halfway mark in their annual Heart Fund campaign for funds with which to combat the nation's number one health enemy — heart disease. President Dwight D. Eisenhower has declared that "heart diseases constitute a foremost national health problem and pose a threat for almost every American family."

The annual Heart Fund of the Texas Heart Association, which is affiliated with the American Heart Association, makes possible a broad program of research, professional and lay educa-

tion and community heart services — the front line of attack against the disease that kills more Texans and Americans annually than any other illness.

The majority — three-fourths — of all contributions to the 1957 Texas Heart Fund will remain in the state of Texas and its communities to make possible still more research, more educational facilities and more community heart services.

Contributions may be made to volunteer Texas Heart Fund workers, or may be mailed simply to "HEART," in care of the local postmaster.

Now that we have thought of affairs of the heart on St. Valentine's Day, let us think of the Heart Fund — truly, here we can make a gift for the hearts of all those we love.

This Week

When the history of the failure of international communisms to dominate the world is written it may record that the turning point was its inability to capture and dominate organized American labor.

Records now available prove beyond doubt that this was, and still is, a major objective of the Kremlin bosses. It sent its best agents and poured hundreds of millions of dollars into the effort.

A few years ago there was a distinct danger that the campaign might succeed. We know now that some of the unions were communist dominated and directed. There still are communists in the labor groups, but they are being weeded out.

One man, more than any other, is responsible for failure of a few communists in positions of responsibility to dominate the great mass of patriotic American workers. That man is George Meany, President of the 15-million member AFL-CIO.

It was 12 years ago, at the height of United States-Russian "friendship" that Meany told the British Trades Union Congress, in Blackpool, England, that the AFL, which he then headed, would under no circumstances accept membership in the Communist-dominated World Trade Union Congress.

That was not the beginning, nor was it the end, of his ceaseless and untiring efforts to kick communists out of organized labor in America. He has been, and is, one of the Nation's most outspoken foes of communism.

Every American ought to read Meany's editorial in the January American Federationist, entitled "The Co-existence Myth." There is space here only to quote pertinent parts of it.

The Kremlin, he points out, for many months talked to the Free

--In Washington

By Clinton Davidson

World about "peaceful co-existence." That propaganda worked in parts of Europe and Asia, and even on some wishful thinkers in this country.

"Then came the Hungarian rebellion," Meany recalls. "Students and workers in Hungary began to talk openly about freedom. Attempts to suppress such talk led to an unexpected uprising, and temporary freedom."

"Here was the first crucial test of peaceful co-existence. The Kremlin rushed hundreds of thousands of troops, 2,000 tanks and fleets of planes to Hungary and attacked the virtually defenseless Hungarian people with a savagery unmatched in modern history."

"An official statement in Pravda explained that Soviet Russia had to crush the Hungarian rebellion or Hungary would have been permanently lost to communism. Is it conceivable that this loss of a tiny satellite would be considered so insupportable by the Kremlin that it had to let loose its full military might to prevent it?"

"No, Soviet Russia did not fear the loss of Hungary. The real fear of the Kremlin was freedom. They feared co-existence with freedom. They know there are more anti-communists inside Russia than anywhere else in the world."

"They feared that freedom in Hungary would give some of the Russian people ideas — that the Russian people might want relief from oppression; that they might want to elect their own leaders."

"There are two lessons that the entire free world should learn from these events. The first is in dealing with the Soviets there is only one sin — the sin of weakness. The second is that those who created the co-existence proved they consider it a one-



Gilbert Haby Is Oil Distributor

Gilbert Haby was named Castroville distributor by a major oil company last week. His business is located at the intersection of Highway 90 and Constantinople St. in Castroville.

He is a veteran, having served two years with the Army Engineers in Korea.

The Haby's are members of St. Louis Catholic Church in Castroville and have one daughter.

Mrs. Haby is the former Frances Finger.

PERSONAL APPEARANCE

By Jerry June Berger

While glancing over the list of school favorites elected last week at the high school, we could not help being impressed at the number of newcomers picked by the teen-agers. At least three of the class favorites have been residents of Hondo for less than a year.

We call that being very neighborly. Perhaps therein is a lesson for some of the generations of Hondoans older than these democratic young citizens.

We have heard newcomers to our city make the statement that quite a few of the established citizens put themselves out not one whit to make a new resident feel at home or to accept them as a welcome member of the community. Most of them will admit that this is not true of everybody, perhaps not even a majority, but it is not good for the reputation of the town to have even a few of these wish-who-were-n't-here people.

Criticizing teen-agers seems to be a favorite pastime of a lot of folks over the country these days, but we feel there is a lot we can learn by watching them in action.

Medina Hospital's nursery was completely full Saturday morning when each of the seven baby beds had an occupant plus one in the incubator. It wasn't a 50-50 proposition either for seven out of the eight were boys.

MRS. W. E. ROBINSON entertained some of her young Camp Fire Girls Saturday with a luncheon. The girls, around age eleven, were asked to dress as a grown-up and some of them went all the way — even to wearing

falsies.

All of which reminds us of an acquaintance of ours who has quite a personable young pre-school daughter. One day she accompanied her mother to an adult meeting. A large crowd was present but during a brief break in the proceedings she wandered over to a man she had not yet met, introduced herself and started a conversation. Apparently he asked "Whose little girl are you?" or something of the like, for her mother, standing about ten feet away heard her say, "That's Mommy over there in the red dress. She wears falsies." Needless to say, Mommy blushed and right then and there decided that she would avoid the child and maybe the man would think she belonged to some other lady in a red dress.

RICHARD CORDER brought honor to Hondo last week when he went to Dallas as a member of the state band and won second chair position. That is mighty fine — only the very best high school musicians even qualified to be there. He had previously won positions on district and regional bands.

The Anvil Herald staff had a surprise shower Monday afternoon for RALPH COLE, our amiable editor who is marrying Friday night.

Since he is getting "hitched", SALLY BRUCKS thought we should call it a "bride" shower as his horsing around days are nearly over. Not unlike a bridal shower, this one had refreshments and presents too — most of which were strictly for laughs.

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Richardson Settled

By Jo Ann Goodell

AUSTIN — It's an almost "serious" Jack Richardson who walks the carpeted aisle of the Texas House of Representatives to seat 59 and represents — for the first time — the people of Dimmitt, Zavala, Medina and Uvalde Counties here in the Fifty-Fifth Legislature.

Oh, the sense of humor is still there, the enthusiasm, the friendliness, the wink, but this six-foot-one Angora goat breeder from District 79, has gotten down to business in a hurry.

Being in the Angora goat business isn't a prerequisite to politics but it hasn't hurt Jack Richardson any in battling the oft-times alluring "drench" of the lobbyists; and after several weeks in the Capitol it is only incidental he feels some politicians could use a swim in an honest-to-goodness dipping vat! But by no means is it all bad and as he says "We're awfully lucky to have as many good men as we do in the legislature."

The grandeur of the impressive session during which Richardson took the oath of office is now only a pleasant memory for him and his attractive, energetic wife Sally; the work is here and part of it is cutting the catclaw of politics to give his district what he feels is good representation.

The state capitol building with its 15,000 carloads of Texas red granite, its impressive but sedate interior and its rich, rich heritage is awe-inspiring to the casual observer from the outside but sometimes disillusioning to those who suddenly find themselves on the "inside" challenged to serve the people of Texas. In this respect the Richardson is no exception — except — where they find disillusion, they are accepting it as challenge.

"I think it is high time for the people to raise up and take their state government out of the hands of the politicians," declares the 51-year-old Richardson. His wife, who has taken a profound interest in his work and frequently attends sessions, firmly agrees, adding, "I don't like that word 'politician' at all!"

Richardson, who has extensive farming and ranching interests in Uvalde County, has not dramatically introduced a lot of bills since being in the House. He has co-authored bills advocating the school teacher pay increase, old age assistance and the state employee salary increase. He states:

"I certainly favor a raise for school teachers . . . but definitely want the country schools to stay where they are and not have to consolidate."

Interviewed last week, he said he was against the increase in pay for legislators "because of conditions back home." He also said he voted against the controversial Pool bill pertaining to a run-off in the special senate election because he felt it "morally wrong."

Number 1 Water
"Without water our state is a gone duck," says Richardson who plans to push his desk buzzer on the electrically operated House voting machine to register in favor of all water legislation designed to alleviate the water crises in his district. He serves on the House Conservation and Reclamation committee and keeps in close contact with Grady Mahaffey of Uvalde and others in his district in regard to pending water legislation.

Besides the Conservation and Reclamation committee, Richardson also serves the Highways and Roads, Livestock and Stock Raising, Military and Veteran's Affairs and Motor Traffic committees.

Justice Court

J. A. Nunez, speeding, fined \$10.
J. A. Nunez, failure to appear, fined \$5.
Roosevelt Durr, speeding, fined \$40.
O. M. Hargrove, making false statement, fined \$5.
W. R. McCracken, no commercial operators license, fined \$1.
Dewey Statler, speeding, fined \$10.
Mrs. Selia Ybarra, hit and run, fined \$5.
Carlos Reyes, abusive language and disturbing the peace, fined \$5.
Soloman Duran, no drivers license, fined \$1.
H. C. Brice, over-registered weight, fined \$15.
Noah Watson, over-axle weight, fined \$25.
V. Alonza, minor consuming beer, fined \$10.
S. Ochoa, minor consuming beer, fined \$10.
Able Sanez, no commercial operators license, fined \$5.
Chon Lopez, drunk and disturbing the peace in a public place, fined \$15.
O. W. Suehs, over-registered weight, fined \$15.
S. Cantu, no commercial operators license, fined \$5.

WANTED: Members for Medina County Farm Bureau. (11c8)

The brown-haired legislator serves with 149 other representatives; his desk next to that of Representative Obie Jones of Austin. The Richardsons have an apartment at the Ambassador in Austin which is only a few blocks from the Capitol.

The Richardsons, indeed, have found themselves busy in the whirl which catches Austin during the legislative season. Besides the sessions to be attended, the committee meetings — many of which are held at night — the apartment phone rings furiously; mail has increased considerably; there are many callers, and much business to be transacted.

Richardson, who says he was "raised by coal oil light," rises before daylight so that he may attend Legislative Institute which is schooling provided for those who desire to attend. It is designed, primarily, as an aid to new legislators.

As for his work, Richardson says the biggest problem is knowing what the people back home want. "I wish people would write, wire, or tell me," he says. Mrs. Richardson says they receive some 15 to 20 letters per day. Among things under study (brought to his attention by people in his district) are to obtain increased funds for the Experiment Station at Winter Haven and aid for the establishment of a county library in Medina County.

Educational

The gracious Mrs. Richardson, tall and distinguished in appearance, says she has learned "as much in one day about government in Austin as in six months in the University of Southern California." She keeps up with Capitol happenings and handles some correspondence for her husband.

Richardson's staff is composed of Mrs. Mary Lee DeBerry of Austin; James Harvey of Sabinal; and Bertram McNelly Jr. of Uvalde. Harvey and McNelly are students at the University of Texas.

Perhaps not on the staff, but very much a part of this legislative session is little Miss Kathy Kyle, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Kyle of Uvalde and the Richardson's grand daughter. Kathy serves as a mascot to the Texas House of Representatives.

Either Way

They say the Austin of 1957 is not like 1875 when some 90 men drifted into the town coming by stage or horseback or train to get down to the work of creating a new constitution. And they say it isn't like when the legislature convened the following January, 1879 and passed 157 bills. It has been said, though, that the thing that worried the legislators then was their attendance at legisla-

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John M. Mechler died Feb. 9, 1957 at the age of 89 years and 7 days. He was born in Medina county Feb. 2, 1868 and lived most of his life in Bexar county. He was married to Katie Biediger Oct. 18, 1892, in the St. Louis Church at Castroville. He is survived by wife, Mrs. Katie Mechler; sons Henry, Robert, Arthur, Edward and Elmer Mechler; daughter, Mrs. Katie Grossenbacher; 17 grandchildren; and 18 great grandchildren.

Rosary was recited at the Tondre Funeral home Sunday, Feb. 10, at 7:30 p.m. Services were held at Our Lady of Grace Church at LaCoste at 9 a.m. Monday, Feb. 11, 1957. Pallbearers were Leon, Allen, Gilbert, Clinton and Patrick Mechler and Bobbie Grossenbacher, grandsons of the deceased.

DEVINE NEWS

By Mrs. Bill Baker

Fritz Schroeter has his left hand in bandages, as a result of an accidental gunshot wound last Thursday.

Pvt. Douglas Fose, on leave from Camp Pendleton, Calif., is visiting his family, M&M Ed Fose and Martha.

M&M T. H. Johns and Tanya of Victoria, were visitors in the Harry Davis home over the weekend.

Mrs. J. F. Oatman of San Antonio, spent Tuesday with M&M Warren Carter and Mike.

Visitors in the S. R. McCulloch home last week, were Mrs. Glen Baldwin, Mrs. J. D. McCulloch, Mrs. Buester McCulloch, Mike and Debby, all of San Antonio.

Mrs. Alvin Willis and Kay were in Waco over the weekend on business.

Mrs. Bill Baker spent one day last week in Austin on business.

Mrs. Ethel Hamlin spent last week in Devine visiting her daughter and son-in-law, M&M Warren Carter and Mike.

Mrs. D. S. Wilson, Roger, Glen and Patty Beth, of Beaumont, are visitors in the home of her parents, M&M G. J. Pribble.

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St. Louis FHA Entertain

By Mary Estelle Schott

St. Louis Chapter of the Future Homemakers of America held a jolly full evening, in the Parish Hall, Wednesday evening, on the eve of Valentine Day, honoring their parents with a "Sweetheart Night."

The party began at 7:30 with the president of the FHA giving the guests a little idea of what the organization stands for and how the purposes are carried out in St. Louis School. Then the fun began.

A contest game between "him and her" was played. With blind-folded eyes, the couples had to ring out valentines from a tree drawn on poster cardboards. Mr. Biediger scored highest and won the prize. Another amusement planned for the couples was a waltz to be danced to the tune of the record "Mom and Pops Waltz". Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Wurzbach, after long deliberation on the part of the judges, won the prize. Other game had the couples drawing a beautiful Valentine with I LOVE YOU, in complete darkness. As the lights were turned on, the judges presented Mrs. Ethel Corder with the prize. Refreshments were served guests in buffet style. The Valentine motif was carried out in detail.

Settlement News

By Mrs. R. H. Bayer

Mrs. Philip Haby visited with Mrs. Elmer Biediger Friday. Mrs. Lina B. Fuos and Mrs. Gross at the Medina Hospital last Tuesday morning.

Mrs. William Wengenroth was a visitor in the Elmer Biediger home Monday.

Mrs. Emma Tschirhart spent Tuesday with Mrs. Edson Oefin, Tuesday with Mrs. Lina Fuos, her and sons and Mrs. Lina Fuos.



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Snowdrift	97c	KIMBELL'S	dozen 51c	7 Steak	lb. 39c
10 LB. BAG	97c	Oleo	dozen 51c	Veal Chops	lb. 45c
Sugar	95c	NO. 1 COUNTRY	dozen 51c	Round Roast	lb. 47c
10 LB. GOLD MEDAL	95c	Eggs	dozen 51c	Chuck Roast	lb. 37c
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Kraft Dinners	2 for 21c	Calves	37c	Loan Steak	lb. 49c
Tide or Cheer	reg. 29c	CHOICE—50 LBS. UP	42c	SHOULDER	lb. 39c
BATH SIZE	2 for 21c	Hind Quarter	34c	Crown Roast	lb. 45c
Lux Soap	2 for 21c	50 LBS. UP	34c	Calf Tongue	lb. 45c
BIG TOP	43c	Fore Quarter	41c	SHOULDER	lb. 45c
Peanut Butter	44c	BIG ONES AGAIN	41c	Pork, Roast	lb. 45c
3 TALL CANS	44c	Fryers	23c	HOMEMADE	lb. 59c
Pet Milk	26c	EATWELL	23c	Sausage	lb. 49c
QT. SOUR OR DILL	26c	Tuna	26c	HOMEMADE	lb. 49c
Pickles	26c	CUT RITE	26c	Head Cheese	lb. 49c
Lindy Peas	2 for 35c	Wax Paper	26c	SLICED	lb. 33c
CHOCOLATE COVERED	lb. 49c	WHITE NORTHERN	2 for 25c	RATH	lb. 43c
Cherries	15c	Napkins	2 for 25c	Picnic Hams	lb. 43c
CORN KIST—12-OZ. CAN	15c	Miracle Whip	qt. 61c	LARGE	48c
Tip Top	10c	WALDORF	3 for 27c	BisQuick	48c
Spinach	10c	Tissue	3 for 27c	STUFFED—4-OZ.	63c
ROTEL NO. 303 CAN	10c	HERSHEY'S—16-OZ.	22c	Stuffed Olives	63c
Beets	10c	Syrup	22c	10 LBS. U. S. RUSSETS	49c
Hominy	2 for 15c	KIMBELLS—24-OZ.	37c	Potatoes	49c
STOCKTON 12-OZ.	17c	Waffle Syrup	37c	BIG HEADS	10c
Catsup	17c	Aero Wax	qt. 55c	Lettuce	29c
PILLSBURY	35c	LIBBY FROZEN	25c	5 LB. BAG	29c
Cake Mixes	35c	Pot Pies	75c	Oranges	29c
Green Beans	2 for 25c	SWANSON FROZEN	75c	1 LB. CELLO	10c
NABISCO SWISS	24c	TV dinner	75c	Carrots	10c
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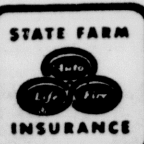


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Miss Pope Installed To Office

Hondo's Rainbow Assembly has installed a new set of officers to serve during the current four months period. Miss Diane Pope is the new Worthy Advisor and Miss Hasey Eckhart is Worthy Associate Advisor.

Others installed are Dorene Nehr, Charity; Gradene Rogers, H o p e; Mary Elsie Heinlein Faith; Dolores Shelton, Recorder; Annie Rowlett, Treasurer; Mary Pope, Chaplain; Ruthie Crow, Drill Leader; Barbara Glenn, Love; Doyleene Enloe, Religion; Anna Beth Eggen, Nature; Sue Cason, Immortality; Peggy Grollmund, Fidelity; Betty Parsons, Patriotism; Jolene Tomerlin, Service; Peggy Cagle, Confidential Observer; Margaret Riney, Outer Observer; Kathleen Wiemers, Musician; Robert Faselier, Choir Director; and Mrs. J. F. Delony, Mother Advisor.

Installed on the Board were Theo Cagle, Mrs. W. W. Chapman, Jimmy House, Mrs. J. I. Delony, Mrs. V. H. Crow, Mrs. Ethel Baker, Mrs. Sylvia Cunningham and Mrs. Evelyn Lacy.

Assisting with the installation were Mrs. J. E. Ham, Installing Officer; Mrs. Bruno Schweers, Installing Recorder; Mrs. O. A. Fly, Installing Chaplain; Mrs. Robert Faselier, Installing Musician; and Mrs. Guido Richter, installing Marshall.

The Rev. Harold Goodenough spoke on the theme for the term, "Patriotism".

Following the introduction and welcoming of guests by Miss Pope, the meeting adjourned and refreshments were served to members of the Assembly, honored guests and visitors from Devine, Pleasanton and Hondo.

The centerpiece of the refreshment table was of blue and white theme. The cake, served by Miss Mary Pope, was also decorated with these colors. Punch was served from a crystal bowl.

Ronald Keller Graduated From Survey School

FORT SILL, OKLA. — Pvt. Ronald C. Keller, 24, Castroville, recently was graduated from the 617th Field Artillery Battalion's Survey School at Fort Sill, Okla.

Keller entered the Army last September.

He was graduated from the University of Texas in 1955. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank J. Keller, live in Castroville.

Miss Crowder Honored At Shower

Miss June Crowder of Austin, bride-elect of Melvin Bippert, was honored with a shower Sunday evening, Feb. 17, at the Lutheran Educational building, in Castroville.

Miss Crowder wore a beige sheath dress with a yellow Jonquil corsage, while the mother of the groom-to-be wore navy blue lace, with a pink carnation corsage.

The table was covered with a white handmade linen cloth, centered with red gladiolus and white candytuft, with cupid of white styrofoam in the center.

Miss Dorothy Jean Wurzbach and Miss Jeanette Wurzbach assisted Miss Crowder. Miss Gaye Griggs was in charge of the bride's book.

Refreshments of sandwiches, nuts, mints, cake and coffee were served to approximately 50 guests.

Hostesses were Mesdames P. L. Day, Paul Stoeber, Harry Bongers, Paul Koenig, C. W. Ahr, Theo Wurzbach, F. C. Stinson, A. C. Wurzbach, R. Q. Stinson, Charles V. Green, Wendell Griggs, and Misses Mary and Gaye Griggs and Dorothy Jean and Jeanette Wurzbach.

The marriage will take place Saturday March 2 at 8 p.m. in the University Methodist Chapel, in Austin.

Garden Club Tour Studied

The Castro Garden Club met Tuesday afternoon, Feb. 12, at the Vance House with 16 members and two guests present. Mrs. E. J. Conrad, president, asked members to consider the possibility of having a tour of Castroville in connection with the Plant Sale which has been set for Sunday, March 24. Proceeds from the tour would go to a permanent fund set aside for landscaping and upkeep of Houston Plaza. A committee was appointed to see what houses would be available and the route of the tour.

Members were given the San Antonio Garden Center year books and a page of garden hints for February.

Markers for pioneer houses were accepted by the club and date of presentation will be set at the next meeting.

Mrs. Conrad asked for volunteers to work with her in landscaping the area around the Castroville sign at the east end of the bridge.

Miss Ruth Lawler, honorary member of the Club, was presented a red tulip plant as a "Happy Birthday" wish.

Mrs. Richard Schott, program chairman, showed a series of colored slides of flower arrangements that won honors at the National Flower Show in Biloxi, Miss.

Members were reminded that the March meeting will begin promptly as an out-of-town speaker, Mrs. T. L. Collier, will speak on "Landscaping" and her talk will include the business session.

A lively and lucrative "White Elephant Sale" was held after the meeting adjourned. Proceeds will go to the general fund, to be used to help take care of September Plaza.

Legion Hall Scene Of Shower-Tea

Mrs. Larry Biediger was honored with a Miscellaneous Shower-Tea Monday night, Feb. 11, at the American Legion Hall in Castroville.

Standing in the receiving line were the honoree, Lt. Dolores Biediger, the groom's mother, Mrs. Dan Biediger, grandmother Mrs. Elizabeth Biediger and godmother, Mrs. Milton Mechler.

Miss Melrose Biediger was in charge of the bride's book and Mrs. Howard Haby and Mrs. Sylvan Tschirhart presided at the serving table. The centerpiece was of white iris and pink tulips in a fan arrangement, with two satin wrapped wedding bands in the center.

A lunch consisting of chicken salad, cake, potato chips and mints was served to approximately 50 guests.

Hostesses for the event were Mesdames Elizabeth Biediger, Mayme Rihn, Clara Tondre, Milton Mechler, Floyd Tondre, Joe Geant, Marion Hans, Claude Salzman, Sylvan Tschirhart, Douglas Craig, Howard Haby, William ley Haby, Floyd Haby, Richard Brieden, Joe Riff Jr. and Miss Melrose Biediger.

Mrs. Delavan Honored At Shower

A shower honoring Mrs. Emery Delevan, the former Miss Helen Murrell, was given Friday, Feb. 15, at 7:30 in the Legion Hall at Castroville.

The table was covered with a white handwoven linen cloth. Centerpiece was of red carnations and small hearts at each carnation, flanked by tall white tapers. A white wedding cake, featuring a miniature bride and groom standing under a wedding bell, and pale pink rosebuds adorned the cake.

The bride wore a dress of pink taffeta; her corsage was of American Beauty roses. Mother of the bride chose a navy blue suit with a corsage of white carnations. Mrs. Delevan, mother of the groom, wore navy blue with a corsage of pink rosebuds.

Guests were seated in the shape of a heart and Helen was placed at the point of the heart.

Miss Gaye Griggs was in charge of the bride's book.

Miss Cappi Graneri, Miss Bonnie Haby, Miss Jacqueline Fitz-Simon and Miss Mary Gail Griggs assisted the bride with the opening of gifts.

Refreshments of cake, nuts, heart shape mints and punch were served to approximately 100 guests.

Hostesses were Mesdames Joe Graneri, Gene Skinner, Richard Schott, V. L. Fletcher, Ellis Lafferty, Ellis Burges, Charles Green, Armin Bendele, Lynn Boehme, Dorothy Jean Boehme, Marvin Haass, Randolph Haass, Ralph Kaye, F. J. Dallal, Gus Benke, Louis Haass, L. C. Martin, Mason Butler, Robert Sitte, Joyce Gunn, C. C. Bippert, Ivan Nester, Theo Wurzbach, W. R. Griggs, Henry Tschirhart, and Misses Marilyn Haby, Mary Ann Bayer, Bonnie Nell Haby, Jacqueline FitzSimon, Lucille Rihn, Ruth Lawler, Gaye and Mary Griggs, Dorothy Jean Wurzbach, Kathy Lafferty and Cappi Graneri.

Castro PTA Meets

The February meeting of Castroville PTA opened with a program sponsored by the class and its sponsor. The number was an open count, "Name that Tune", with members in the audience participating. Colvern Huegele played the tunes on the piano. This was followed by "I've Got a Secret". Four panels were selected from members of the faculty and parents present, Jackie Simon, Bonnie Haby, Schneider and Mrs. Huegele, the secrets.

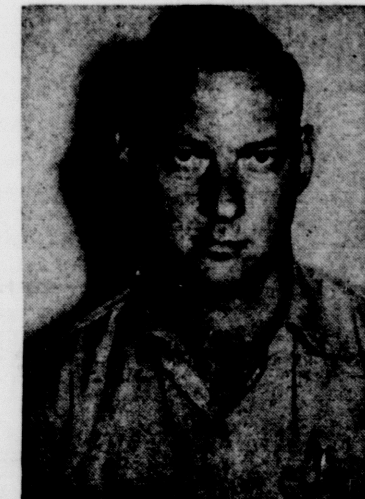
During the business session which followed, a report of the recent Men's Style Show given by Jack Mathis, chairman, was presented. Mathis expressed his thanks to all who had helped make the fair a success.

A letter from State Representative Jack Richardson, read assuring the Association his interest and help in the curement of a county library in Medina County. He also suggested that a meeting with the librarian might also be of help.

Members were asked to a silver offering to the Founder's Day Fund by Nuckles. A cake decorated to represent the symbol of the school cafeteria by Mesdames Theodore Wurzbach, Milton dele and C. C. Huegele.

WANTED: Members for Medina County Farm Bureau. (12)

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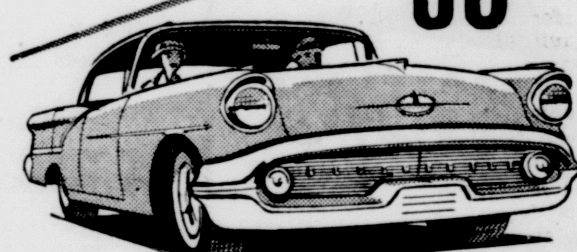


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Hondo Anvil Herald

By Defeating Ellington

Hondo Takes First

The Hondo Air Base Falcons brought their 1956-57 Basketball Season to a thrilling climax Saturday night, Feb. 9, in the Hondo Air Base Gymnasium, Hondo, host to the Southwest Student Conference Tournament, knocked off favored Ellington AFB in the finals, to win a long sought Conference Championship. This win gave the Falcons an 18-11 record for the season.

With one of the outstanding service teams in Texas all season, the Falcons have wins over Randolph AFB, Kelly AFB, Laughlin AFB, Medina Base, St. Mary's University (scrimmage), Ahu's of San Antonio, Ft. Sam Houston, Bryan AFB, Ellington AFB Chase Field (Navy), Corpus Christi (Navy) and Kingsville (Navy.) Lackland AFB and Brooke Army Medical Center are the only teams played this season the Falcons were unable to beat. This record is more impressive when you consider Hondo with less than 500 personnel in competition with bases of 5-30, 000 personnel.

The 85-66 Hondo win over Ellington was especially sweet as all the Hondo fans were present to witness the championship game. Hondo controlled both backboards; their superior ball handling, percentage of field goals and free throws made put the Falcons ahead of Ellington from buzzer to buzzer. However, early in the second half Hondo faltered under Ellington's crushing full court press defense. This defense was very effective on the Hondo club, cutting their lead from 23 points to 8 points in very few minutes. The full court press also took its toll on the Ellington team in their foul column and soon the Falcons settled down to spread the margin to 19

points at the final buzzer. As usual, Flash Bobby Dixon, Hondo team captain, put on an outstanding performance. Playing the full game without substitution, he scored 20 points against Ellington. On defense, Dixon can usually cover two men, on offense he is dangerous on every count. His hook shots and lay-ups, with either hand, are unbelievable. He can drive hard and if necessary his set shot from the outside is deadly. Dixon hails from Indiana, has played for Harlingen AFB, Conally AFB and 3 years at Oxnard AFB before entering pilot training.

Hugh Williams, big 6'4" post man, played a terrific game and dropped 27 points in the hoop, to lead Hondo scoring. Hugh is from Missouri and is a graduate of Princeton. Trailing Williams in the scoring column, by one point, Bob Carey from Oklahoma, played the full game without substitution. Tommy Byrne from New York, a graduate of Dartmouth, also played the full game. Byrne usually scores around 20 points, but was covered by a taller Ellington player, being held to 8 points. Byrne plays good team ball; his passes, picks and defense make him a star on any team.

Runner-up Ellington had experienced men two deep in each position. Sparked by Larry Evans, all American from Kentucky, set shot artist Fenwick hitting from the outside and big 6'4" Padgett in the post position, Ellington downed a powerful Laredo team 88-70 in the quarter-finals. At the same time Hondo was defeating Bryan 80-49 in the other quarter-final bracket.

Laredo then downed Bryan 98-49 and moved into the semi-finals to defeat Laughlin 82-54. This

gave Laredo third place and Laughlin fourth place. Laredo had stars in Glenn Wilson, lightning fast and Captain of the Hondo team last year when he was in primary pilot training. Bragg, from USC, playing the post for Laredo, was one of the outstanding players of the tourney. He can be remembered as an all Air Force team member last year.

In the first go around, Laredo defeated Moore 72-52, Ellington defeated Laughlin 93-85, Bryan defeated Reese 53-50 and Hondo drew the bye. In the losers bracket, Laughlin defeated Reese 72-59, then downed Moore 81-70, which put them in the semi-finals, where they lost to Laredo. The high score individuals of the tournament were Jarvis of Laughlin with 70, followed by Bragg of Laredo with 66.

Final standing: Hondo first, Ellington second, Laredo third, Laughlin fourth, Bryan fifth, Moore sixth and Reese seventh. The next event in the Southwest Student Conference is the Bowling Tournament to be held at Bryan AFB, March 9.

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WATER...

(Continued From Page One) Then came the greatest drought in Texas history, beginning in 1950. We woke up in a big way. So here we are today with the biggest problem confronting our economic development. How much water are we using today? (That is, how much commercial water—water other than that laid down on our pastures, fields and forests by rainfall?) And how much will we need in the future if we continue to grow as rapidly as our natural wealth warrants?

Texas' present water consumption totals about 22,957,000 acre-feet a year, according to the State Board of Water Engineers. This was the estimate for 1955, latest figure available.

Of this total consumption, 14,459,000 acre-feet came from surface water supplies; 7,498,000 acre-feet came from underground reservoirs. The figure for surface water supply consumption includes 6,689,000 acre-feet utilized in production of electric power. Water used for other than hydroelectric power amounted to 16,268,000 acre-feet. This included domestic, general municipal, industrial and irrigation water. This was a lot of water. To visualize it, let's say it was enough water to fill a lake twice the size of Dallas County to the depth of 15 feet.

Irrigation required 73.5 per cent of this water (other than that used for hydroelectric power); manufacturing and other industry, 16.5 per cent; domestic and general municipal, 7.7 per cent; rural, 2.1 per cent, with the remaining fraction of 1 per cent going to such miscellaneous uses as mining, recreation and fish hatcheries.

It is an economist's average prediction that Texas will have a population of 16,000,000 by the year 2000, or twice its present population. How much water for so many? In the past, water use has increased much more rapidly than population. Under an expanded conservation policy this rate of per-capita increase can be reduced. (Something will be said on this in a later article.)

It's anybody's guess; but, if Texas' population increases 100 per cent by 2000, the water demand probably will increase by 150 per cent. That means 40 million acre-feet annually for the califications mentioned above. Will we have so much? Yes, if we adopt the right conservation methods. Following articles will give some facts.

NOTICE VETERANS' LAND BOARD Sale The Veterans' Land Board will receive sealed bids at the General Land Office, Austin 14, Texas, until 10 o'clock a.m., April 3, 1957, for fifty-two tracts of land located in various counties of Texas. Only eligible Texas veterans may submit bids. Lists and other detailed information may be obtained from Earl Rudder, Chairman of the Veterans' Land Board, General Land Office Building, Austin 14, Texas. (3tc8)

WANTED: Members for Medina County Farm Bureau. (1tc8)



TOURNEY WINNERS — The Hondo Air Base Falcons captured first place in their Southwest Student Conference Tournament held Feb. 9 in Hondo. From left to right, team members are front row, John Schmidt, Rick Urdahl, John Mitchell, Bobby Dixon (masscot), Robert Mitchell, Dick Head, John Demas and John Meek; second row, Bob Musgrave, Dick Showalter, Bob Carey, Hueh Williams and Tommy Lynch. Staff Photo

D'Hanis Basketball Teams End Season

D'Hanis basketballers closed their season with an even split against Castroville, the girls winning and the boys losing. The big guns for D'Hanis were Joan

Carle and Frank Ortega. Ann Langfield and Charles Edmonson were close behind in their performances.

The two games saw three out-playing their final games for the Purple and Gold. Nemesio Ortiz played his usual outstanding role as a jumping jack and ball hawk as he has done all season. Ortega, an all-around athlete in every sense, displayed his brilliant shooting prowess in racking up 18 points before fouling out with almost a whole quarter to play.

Ortega, the leading scorer in football, was probably right near the top in basketball scoring also. He hit in the double figures in all but one game to spark along with Ortiz, the only other senior on the club.

Ann Langfield bowed out with a 15 point performance and her usual outstanding floor game. She has been the sparkplug for D'Hanis all year long. She and Isabell Duncan (defensive team performer) are the only seniors on the strong D'Hanis girls' team. Expected to take up right several outstanding freshmen and upper-class performers such as Joan Carle, Linda Nester and Joan Reiber. Up from the junior high team will be three or four top stars, Ellen Langfield, Ann's younger sister, Virginia Schultz, Susan Finger, and Rita Batto appear to be the best prospects on the girls' side. Frank Reyes, and Leo Ortega might help the boys' team next year.

Baseball is again in the air — Hondo High Schoolers turned out this week and meetings of the Highway 90 League and the Little Leagues were held.

Highway 90 play will start April 7, with a new addition — Uvalde. By unanimous vote, Uvalde was admitted to the League Monday night. Quihi and Hondo Air Base have dropped out of the League this season. The air base is now participating in the Southwest Student Conference.

The Little Leagues have a chance to light their field if they can secure \$900 before the season starts. Two donations of \$200 each are likely but have not been authorized as yet.

Donations are being collected by Dr. John H. Jennings and Wayne Sigler, president of the Little Leagues this year.

Grass has been planted by Max Orta and his crew at the local Little League field, which was donated by Universal Run-

SPEAKING OF SPORTS

By George Stewart

As the Owls and Owlettes come to the end of the '57 Basketball season, the Cotulla boys and the Dilley girls took district honors. Season scores, final district standing, and pictures of the Owls and Owlettes will appear in next week's paper.

Owls Lose The Owls waded into the final game of the '57 season Friday night to loose to the Dilley Wolves by a score of 49 to 41.

Although this was the second time the Wolves had won over Hondo, they had to fight hard to take home a victory.

Big Alvin Hartman laid 21 points away for the Owls to take the high scoring honors. Jimmy Leazenby, Butch Smith and Johnny Windrow looped in six each for the night's work. Ray Highsmith got two points. The final score was Dilley 49 and Hondo 41.

Owlettes Lose The Dilley Wolves and the Hondo Owlettes collided on the local court for their final district game. After an extra fast game, the Dilley Wolves edged out the Owlettes by a score of 27 to 25. Sara Moore looped in 13 points to take high scoring honors, followed by Linda Tondre with 8.

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TELEPHONE TALK

by Carroll Davis, Manager

A Look Ahead

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It's our feeling that our most important job is to give you the kind of telephone service you want and need — in 1957 and the years ahead. So if there's anything we can do to make your service more pleasant and helpful, please don't hesitate to call on us.

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Kitchen Helpers

There's a lot of truth in saying, "The kitchen is the heart of the home." It's certainly true that a homemaker spends about as much time in the kitchen as in any other room in the house.

I guess that accounts for the popularity of some of the wonderful new "kitchen helpers," like dishwashers, waste disposals, and freezers. No wonder they're popular! Think of how much drudgery these conveniences save the homemaker.

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Admittances:
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John Trinidad, Feb. 6, medical.
Gus Agunada, Feb. 6, medical.
Mary A. Pedroza, Feb. 7, dental.
Baby Timberlake, Feb. 8, medical.
Atilano Rodriguez, Feb. 8, medical.
John Havins, Feb. 11, medical.
Domingo Gallardo Jr., Feb. 13, medical.
Mrs. T. Trinidad, Feb. 17, surgical.
Mrs. Raul Cantu, Feb. 17, medical.

New Babies:
Susan Lea, to Mr. and Mrs. Harold Jack Hartung, Feb. 4, 8 lbs. 4 oz.
Clato E., to Mr. and Mrs. Atilano G. Rodriguez, Feb. 8, 8 lbs. 4 oz.
Cheryl Rene, to Mr. and Mrs. Randolph Louis Schott, Feb. 9, 7 lbs. 7 oz.
Wayne Lyman Jr., to Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Lyman Ritter, Feb. 11, 9 lbs. 10 oz.
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Meredith Lynn, to Mr. and Mrs. Angus McPhail, Feb. 15, 6 lbs. 6 oz.

Cotton Controls Changed

AUSTIN — Agriculture Commissioner John White today authorized a change in cotton planting controls for 22 South Texas counties in order that farmers can take advantage of "recent and rare" moisture.

The commissioner's authorization allows cotton farmers in Zone 3 of the pink bollworm control area to begin planting immediately, three weeks ahead of the March 5 date prescribed by law.

In making the announcement, White said "recent spotted rains over the drought-ridden area have made it possible for these farmers to plant. But they are losing moisture rapidly and can't afford to wait any longer."

"Many of these people have waited for years just for the chance to plant. We can't deny it to them now just for the sake of having rigid controls."

White said this action would not jeopardize the over-all effect of the pink bollworm control program and added "it is more imperative now that these cotton farmers have a crop."

White granted the early planting privileges after hearing from a number of farmers in the area. Zone 3 counties include Atascosa, Bee, Bexar, Calhoun, DeWitt, Dimmit, Frio, Goliad, Jackson, Karnes, Kinney, LaSalle, Live Oak, Maverick, McMullen, Medina, Refugio, Uvalde, Val Verde, Victoria, Wilson and Zavala.

Local Women Represented At Meeting

SAN ANTONIO — Hondo Methodist women were represented at the Southwest Texas Methodist Conference Wesleyan Service Guild Annual meeting held at First Presbyterian church here Saturday, Feb. 16, through Sunday, Feb. 17.

Theme for the meeting was "The Spirit of Christ For All Of Life." Featured speakers were Mrs. W. B. Landrum of Little Rock, Ark., and Mrs. Anna B. Chaffin of Washington, D. C.

Attending from Hondo were Lucille Tomerlin, Mrs. Welton Meyer, Mrs. R. V. Stanga and Mrs. Richard Reiley.

Noonan-Pearson

By Mrs. Louis Stein (Delayed)

M&M Otto Naegelin of Castroville visited M&M Albert Tschirhart Wednesday evening.

Oscar Tschirhart of near Devine visited his parents, M&M Albert Tschirhart Thursday morning. Mrs. Tschirhart suffered a hand infection but is now somewhat improved.

The Friendly Ladies Club met with Mrs. Lois Kirby last Tuesday with five members and one visitor present.

Mrs. Lois Kirby and Barbara and Mrs. Retha Davis were at Castroville Tuesday evening.

Noah Kirby who is employed in Beaumont, spent the weekend here with his family.

M&M Eddie Baker and sons have moved into our vicinity again after residing at Corpus Christi for some time.

M&M Alex Tschirhart were at Castroville Wednesday evening.

Leroy Stein was a LaCoste business visitor Friday morning.

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FINEST MEATS	
YOUR FAVORITE Chuck Roast . . . lb. 37c	FOR CUTLETS or SWISS Round Steak . . . lb. 65c
BROILING SIRLOIN or Porterhouse Steak lb. 59c	ECONOMICAL DINNER 7 Steak . . . lb. 40c
BAKE STEW or B-B-Q Calf Ribs . . . lb. 31c	RATHS READY TO EAT PICNIC
TALL KORN Sliced Bacon . . . lb. 50c	Shoulder Ham . . lb. 41c Cooked Salami . . lb. 49c
MASTER CHEF Coffee . . . lb. 98c	PILLSBURY Flour . . . 5 lb. 49c 10 lb. 95c
MRS. TUCKERS 10c Off Label Shortening . . 3 lb. 89c	MEADOWLAKE—5c Off Deal Margarine . . 1 lb. 27c
White, Choc., Yellow, Butter-stoch, Coupon Pak Cake Mix . . . 31c	HI-C—46-OZ. Orange Drink . . . 29c
FRANCO-AMERICAN, 15 1/2-oz. Spaghetti . . . 2 for 31c	Tide or Cheer . . . gt. 73c
MIRACLE WHIP SALAD DRESSING . . . pint 33c — qt. 56c	
FROZEN FOODS	
OLD SOUTH 6-OZ. Orange Juice 2 for 35c	SNOWCROP Peaches 25c
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The River Jordan

An inspiring poem was sent to us recently by Mrs. George Walker of Boerne. Mrs. Walker, besides writing poetry, does many artistic drawings and paintings. The poem is as follows:

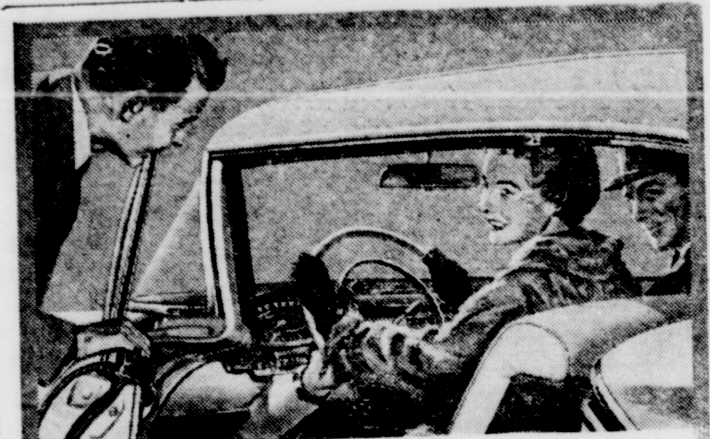
The River Jordan
As light spring rains and melting snows
From great Mt. Hermon gently flows,
God fills the heart and soul of me



"Refreshment without Filling"
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Like the River Jordan fills the sea,
When its rising waters doth subside
I will walk on its banks at eventide.
As I meditate in evening prayer
I know my Lord will meet me there.
With my hand in Thine and thoughts on Thee
Thy Holy Spirit will dwell in me.
And in Thy light, Lord, I will walk,
Of Thy saving Grace, Lord, I will talk.
"Oh Baptize me," in the Jordan deep
And I'll rise again from a troubled sleep.
My burdened heart and saddened soul
Will be washed as the waters o'er me roll.
I will hold on high Thy torch of love
To illumine the world as it is above.
I will keep this wondrous saving grace
"Till we meet again, Lord," face to face.

—Violet Gibson Walker



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Publication Bill Before Legislature

(Editor's Note: This is the third of a series of articles in the Herald explaining bills which members of the Texas Press Association have drawn up for presentation to this session of the State Legislature.)

The proposed bills deal with insurance laws, veteran land problems, freedom of the press, protection of public funds, election code and other such problems which face the people of our state today.)

Bill No. 7 is an act defining the duties of public officers in regard to the publication of statements and notices required or authorized by law, providing for forfeiture of salary and removal from office for violation thereof and providing the procedure therefor.

This bill would be a re-enactment of the Mandatory Publications Act prescribing the type of notices and financial statements to be published by various public officials and fixing the responsibility for the same. The present law does not fix the responsibility or prescribe the method of removal from office.

Bill No. 10 is an act requiring the district judge to order an audit of county records upon a petition of at least 30 per cent of the qualified voters of the county. The bill would empower the district judge to employ a special auditor and set his compensation.

Bill No. 8 provides for the removal of any official of the State of Texas or subdivision thereof who shall refuse to testify on the grounds of self incrimination before any court or other duly authorized governmental agency. This bill would not deprive a person of the right to use the Fifth Amendment as an individual or as a private citizen, but it would deprive him of the right to hide behind the Fifth Amendment in refusing to answer questions about his official conduct in public office.

It is believed that refusal to answer questions about official misconduct in public office is inconsistent of the honor and trust of public office.

Many citizens in counties other than Duval write in asking how they can obtain an audit of their county funds and the passage of this bill would enable private citizens to petition the district judge, who would be impartial, to order an audit.

Our present law provides that precinct chairmen shall see that only qualified voters shall be permitted to vote, be present at, or to participate in the business of the convention. On many occasions, members of the press, radio and television stations, shall have the right to attend precinct conventions, county conventions and the state convention for the purpose of reporting proceedings to the general public.

This bill makes it clear that reporters have the right to attend the precinct conventions, county conventions and state convention for the purpose of reporting the proceedings of those conventions.

Under our present law, the district judge upon request of the grand jury may appoint a committee consisting of three citizens of the county of good moral character and intelligence and experienced accountants to examine into the condition of the finances of the county. They are to receive as salary for their services \$3 for each day not to exceed five days; or, the Commissioners' Court, when in its judgment an imperative public necessity exists therefor, shall have the authority to employ a disinterested competent public accountant to make an audit of the county records.

Under both of these provisions, private citizens have no way to force an audit and Duval County had no audit for more than 40 years; although Duval County repeatedly petitioned, requested and demanded such an

audit at the risk of their lives. This series will be completed in next week's Herald.

Report Shows Accidents Over District

A total of 134 traffic accidents were reported and investigated by the Texas Highway Patrol during the month of January in the San Antonio District. Accidents in cities and towns of more than 2,500 population were not included in the report.

Ten persons were killed in these accidents, and 60 more were injured. Property loss was estimated at \$124,554.

The January report listed as the eight most common causes of accidents as speed too fast for conditions, driving while intoxicated, driving on wrong side of road not in passing, improper passing, improper turns, following too closely, right-of-way violations, and failing to signal or wrong signal.

During January in the district 1,312 persons were arrested by the Patrol for traffic violations and 34 others were arrested for other criminal offenses. A total of 2,101 persons were issued written warnings for hazardous traffic violations.

In other activities patrol personnel gave 11 lectures and speeches, and showed four safety films. Total attendance was 1,259.

HERE IN HONDO

Dr. and Mrs. Walter Meyer returned Sunday from a trip to California. On their return trip, they met the Peter Knowles of Uvalde and another couple from Austin in Las Vegas, Nev., where they stayed for a few days.

Happier Homemaking

By Martha Carson

Here's a collection of home-making hints plus a few quick recipes.

For a creamy seafood bisque that's easy to make, heat together one can each of condensed cream of asparagus and cream of mushroom soup, with one cup of cooked or canned shrimp (chopped), two cups of whole milk or light cream, and one can of tuna fish flakes, drained. Serve with hot rolls and a tossed salad, and there's your supper!

While we're on the subject of tricks with canned soup, here's another idea, for a luncheon dish using left-over ham. Cut the ham in bite-size pieces. Add a cup of milk to a can of condensed cream of chicken (or cream of mushroom) soup, then add the ham. Warm over simmer flame until thoroughly heated, and pour over squares of hot corn bread that have been split and buttered.

Of interest to homemakers is a new kind of kitchen cabinet on the market. Called a "Rotary" cabinet, it has shelves that revolve, so wanted items can be brought to the front easily.

Did you know that gas water heaters now come trimmed in colors and in different shapes to fit in with kitchen decorating schemes? The color tris range from pastels and wood tones to neutral shades that harmonize with anything.

Everyone knows how we nutmeg tops eggnog, or crust of nutmeg to bring out the flavor of lemon pie? Sprinkle the filling with nutmeg just before putting the pie in the oven.

When you serve raw carrot sticks as appetizers or a relish, give them a taste lift by marinating the carrot sticks in the juice drained from a jar of dill pickles. This combination of flavors will have your guests exclaiming:

No one likes to do unnecessary work, and it's a good idea to check up on yourself now and then to be sure you're not thinking of doing some job that could be eliminated. For instance, you may be doing ironing that you have to do secret is to remove garments from the gas clothes dryer, smooth the hems, collars and belts. If you do this you may be surprised to find how many things can be taken from the dryer without the slightest need for ironing.

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Engineers call it "trace knock," and only the trained ear can hear it.

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If yours is a modern car in any price class—especially if it's a 1957 model—prevent trace knock with Golden Esso Extra, the gasoline with the highest octane rating ever.

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If you answer yes to any one of these questions, you should try Golden Esso Extra—world's finest gasoline.

- ☐ Does your car knock on "premium" gasoline?
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- ☐ Does the engine have a compression ratio of 9 to 1, or higher?
- ☐ Does your car have more than one carburetor or a "Power-Pack?"
- ☐ Is the engine rated at 200 horsepower or higher?

(These points become even more important as you add miles to a new car; anti-knock requirements increase when you pass the break-in point.)



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KOOL AID	
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MAINE SARDINES	2 for 19c
TALL CAN	
PINK BEAUTY SALMON	65c
12-OZ. GLASS—BAMA PEACH &	
APRICOT PRESERVES	24c
RED SEAL SHOESTRING	
POTATOES	2 for 21c
SPRY	3 lb. can 94c
1 LB. BAG	
SUNSHINE SAND TARTS	45c
7/4-OZ. BAG	
SUNSHINE DAINTY MINTS	15c
RANCH STYLE BEANS	2 for 25c
BLUE PLATE	
COFFEE	1 lb. can 89c
3 TALL CANS	
CARNATION MILK	44c

MEATS

DECKER, RATH & HORMEL	
FRANKS	lb. 45c
SWIFT FULLY—4 TO 6 LB.	
COOKED PICNIC	lb. 42c
DECKER	
CHOPPED HAM	lb. 59c
TALL KORN	
SLICED BACON	lb. 49c
HAMBURGER MEAT	lb. 33c
CHUCK ROAST	lb. 43c
SHOULDER	
ROUND ROAST	lb. 47c
RIB CHOPS	lb. 47c

LUCKY LEAF	
APPLE JUICE	qt. 28c
CAMPBELL'S	
VEGETARIAN SOUP	2 for 25c
8-OZ. JAR—KRAFT	
CHEESE WHIZ	29c
ALL SWEET	
MARGARINE	1 lb. 31c
SUGAR	10 lbs. 98c
NABISCO	
SHREDDED WHEAT	19c
RAIN DROPS	25c
TIDE & CHEER	1ge. 30c
DEL MONTE—NO. 2 CAN	
TOMATO JUICE	14c
HUNT—NO. 300 CAN	
NEW POTATOES	13c

VEGETABLES

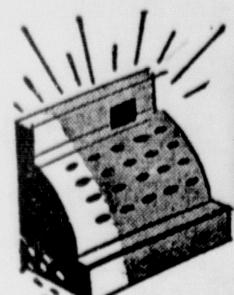
LETTUCE	head 10c
BANANAS	2 lb. 29c
CELLO BAG	
CARROTS	10 lb. 58c
POTATOES	

Frozen Food

BOOTH	
FISH STICKS	30c
SNOW CROP—10-OZ. PKG.	
BROCCOLI SPEARS	20c
BIRD'S EYE—10-OZ. PKG.	
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CLASSIFICATIONS

1. For Sale
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5. Wanted
6. Help Wanted
7. Lost and Found
8. Miscellaneous
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1. FOR SALE
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FOR SALE: Best Deal on '57 Ford. I will undersell. Ray Jungman. (1tc16)

FOR SALE: Piano, can be seen at 1501 Ave R. (3tc7)

FOR SALE: '57 Chevrolet. Horsepower up to 283. For best deal see Ray Jungman, Castroville. (1tc19)

FOR SALE: All-metal set of children's swings. Available with or without slide. Made of rugged 2 in. tubing. Call Fly's Hardware at HA 6-2423. (1tc7)

2. REAL ESTATE

FOR SALE: 80 acre North Central Wisconsin farm, 15 holstein cows, modern house and barn, fully equipped, river and spring creek. \$12,000. Milton Larson, Ogema, Wis. (4tp6)

FOR SALE: 36' 2 bedroom house trailer; furnished, has full bath. Save almost \$4,000 over new price. Call HA 6-3386 after 4 on weekdays. Airview Trailer Park, Trailer No. 27. R. W. Notter. (1tc5)

HOUSES, LOTS, farms, ranches, business property, real estate trades, see E. A. Bendele, Agent, Wood and Wood Realtors. (1tc50)

3. FOR RENT

FOR RENT: Small storage building on Avenue J. N. C. Johnson, HA 6-2572. (1tc5)

FOR RENT: 4-room house, furnished. Suitable for couple without children. Apply 605 19th St., rear house, after 5 p.m. Monday through Friday. (1tc30)

FOR RENT: Furnished apartments and rooms, Hilltop House, HA 6-2777. (1tc7)

FOR RENT: Bedroom next to bath, private entrance, garage included. 1203 21st St. (2tp7)

FOR RENT: 5 room house with modern convenience. With a garage. 5 miles west of D'Hanis. Call D'Hanis 1F3. (3tp7)

FOR RENT: Modern 5 room house with car port and washer connection at 1103 Ave. M. Call at 1105 Ave. M Phone HA 6-2250. (1tc7)

FOR RENT: 4 room rock house, 5 miles out on paved road. See Fletcher Davis, at 1106 20th St., or phone HA 6-2536. (1tc7)

FOR RENT: 3 room house. Carport. Modern convenience. Kitchen furnished. 906 17th St. HA 6-2876. (3tp6)

FOR RENT: Furnished 2-bed room apartment, upstairs in former Gilliam residence. 609 19th St. Private entrance, suitable for two people, no children. Call HA 6-7571 (evenings) or Tom Gilliam Sr., Pearsall. (1tc18)

FOR RENT: 4-room apartment, furnished. Byron Ward, HA 6-3836. (1tc4)

4. BUSINESS SERVICE

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WELL DRILLING: A. M. Smith, prices right. Phone Luther 9-2485 or Luther 9-2220, Medina, Texas, box 146. (28tp4)

PHOTOSTATS WHILE YOU WAIT: We have recently installed a new photostat machine at the Anvil Herald and can give fast, efficient service on making copies of your valuable papers. (5tp23)

PLEASE REMEMBER: We can go anywhere when our services are desired — day or night. Just ring dial HA 6-2224 and we will attend to everything. John A. Horger, Funeral Director. (1tc)

MOTOR rewinding. Santos Electric Service, Call HA 6-2113, Hondo. (1tc10)

SELL TO US: We buy all kinds of grain. Let us quote prices before you sell. Chapman Grain, Inc. (1tc18)

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TV pictures tubes repaired; Pennington Radio and TV service Call HA 6-2413. (1tc32)

RADIO AND TV SERVICE. We replace only what is necessary. We repair picture tubes. THE RANCH STORE, phone HA 6-2132. (1tc45)

HELP WANTED

HERE IN HONDO needs help. That's right! It's our new department for you, by you, about you! Have you had visitors, taken a trip, or had something happen to you that your neighbors would like to hear about? YOUR NEWS IS HERE IN HONDO Phone anytime. Ask for the news dept. at the Anvil Herald. Phone HA 6-3346. (1tc8)

AVON cosmetics helps you "earn as you learn". Anglo territories available in Hondo and Dunlay. One Latin-American territory open in Castroville. For details write Box 7292, San Antonio. (3tp7)

ATTRACTIVE POSITION For mother or housewife, age 25-60. Experience in teaching, club or church work valuable. Guaranteed income for the one chosen. Write today to Mrs. William Bell, Circle Drive, Kerrville giving age, education and experience for work beginning Feb. 25. (2tc7)

WANTED: Dependable woman to care for 3 children. One in school, while mother works. Call HA 6-2392. (2tp7)

7. LOST AND FOUND

Auto Parts service 24 hours a day. BINGO AUTO PARTS, 20th and R streets. Phone HA 6-7171. (1tc6)

8. MISCELLANEOUS

February specials on RCA Whirlpool gas clothes dryer. Only \$5 down. \$6 monthly on the balance. Washer-Dryer Combination. Only \$15 down. DeMontel's. (4tc5)

PIPE WELL CASING All sizes. Best prices available in South Texas. Call collect or write General Sales Company, P. O. Box 67, Phone BR 8-5666, Uvalde, Texas. (1tc3)

FOR THE BEST deal on any new car or truck see Ray Jungman Phone 32, Castroville. (1tc1)

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Anvil Herald, Hondo, Texas
Friday, Feb. 22, 1957

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NEED assistance with your income tax report? Have it done by an accountant who is an income tax consultant. Get it right! Mr. H. E. STANSEL. For appointment contact Bill Fly, HA 6-2508. (11tc4)

REGULAR MEETING

Hondo City

Lodge No. 756

A. F. & A. M.

Regular Stated Communications
Monday, March 11, 1957, at 7:30 P. M. Visitors Welcome.

Theo Cagle, W. M.
O. L. Moss, Sec.

11. LEGAL NOTICES

LEGAL NOTICE
Notice is hereby given that all qualified persons who wish to have their names placed upon the ballots for the regular election of the City of Hondo, to be held at the Hondo Volunteer Fire Department Building on April 2, 1957, must have their applications filed by 5:00 p.m. on March 2, 1957, as required by law. Application for such purpose may be obtained at the City Office. (4tc5)

O. L. Moss
City Secretary

NOTICE TO DEBTORS AND CREDITORS OF ESTATE OF ALFRED NESTER.
THE STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF MEDINA
TO THOSE INDEBTED TO, OR HOLDING CLAIMS AGAINST THE ESTATE OF ALFRED NESTER, DECEASED:

The undersigned, Anna Sathoff Nester, having been duly appointed Executrix of the Estate of Alfred Nester, Deceased, late of D'Hanis, Medina County, Texas, by the last will and testament of said Alfred Nester, through the probate of said last will and Testament of Alfred Nester, in the Probate Court of Medina County, Texas, hereby notifies all persons indebted to said estate to come forward and make settlement, and those having claims against said estate to present them to her within the time prescribed by law at her residence near D'Hanis, Texas, where she receives her mail, this 24th day of January, 1957.

Anna S. Nester
Executrix of the Estate of
Alfred Nester, Deceased.
(4tc5)

ORDER AND NOTICE OF CITY ELECTION

THE STATE OF TEXAS:
COUNTY OF MEDINA:
CITY OF HONDO:

ELECTION ORDER
I, O. A. FLY, Mayor of the City of Hondo, Texas, by virtue of the power vested in me by law, do hereby order that an election be held in the City of Hondo, on April 2, 1957, being the first Tuesday thereof, for the purpose of electing the following officers of said city:

MAYOR
TWO (2) ALDERMEN;
and that said election shall be held at the Hondo Volunteer Fire Department Building in said city, and the following named persons are hereby appointed managers thereof, to wit: Mr. C. J. Monkhouse, Judge Mr. C. W. Bendele, Clerk Mrs. W. R. Corder, Clerk

ELECTION NOTICE
The City Police Chief is hereby directed and instructed to post a properly executed copy of this order and notice of election at the Hondo Volunteer Fire Department Building, the place where this election will be held. Said notice shall be posted thirty (30) days before the date of said election.

Signed and executed on this the 26th day of January, A. D. 1957.
O. A. Fly
Mayor, City of Hondo, Texas

ATTEST:
J. L. Moss
City Secretary (4tc5)

NOTICE TO DEBTORS AND CREDITORS OF ESTATE OF HENRY E. GRAFF.
THE STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF MEDINA
TO THOSE INDEBTED TO, OR HOLDING CLAIMS AGAINST THE ESTATE OF HENRY E. GRAFF, DECEASED:

The undersigned, Frank A. Graff, having been duly appointed Administrator of the Estate of Henry E. Graff, deceased, late of Hondo, Medina County, Texas, through the Probate Court of Medina County, Texas, hereby notifies all persons indebted to said

estate to come forward and make settlement, and those having claims against said estate to present them to him within the time prescribed by law at his residence in Hondo, Texas, where he receives his mail, this 1st day of February, 1957.

Frank A. Graff,
Administrator of the Estate
of Henry E. Graff, Deceased.
(4tc6)

NOTICE OF RECEIVERS Sale OF REAL ESTATE
I, James R. Duncan, of Hondo, Texas was on the 9th day of February appointed receiver by the District Court of Medina County, in Texas in Cause No. 3872 entitled the Sprott Heirs, et al; for the purpose of selling to the highest bidder

230 acres of farmland located about 25 miles north of Hondo and about 4 miles south of Tarpley, situated in Medina County in Survey 493, R. M. Williams. The sale of this land will be under the supervision of said County Court. Anyone interested in bidding for the purchase of said land may contact me.

Sealed bids will be opened at a time and date to be announced later. The right is reserved to reject any or all bids not representing a fair value of the transaction.

JAMES R. DUNCAN
RECEIVER
(3tc8)

Notice is hereby given that all qualified persons who wish to have their names placed upon the ballots for the general election of the City of Castroville, Texas, to be held at the City Office on Tuesday, April 2, 1957, must have their applications filed by 5:00 p.m. on Saturday, March 2nd, 1957 as required by law. Applications for such purpose may be obtained at the City Office. (Mrs.) Charlotte Lafferty City Sec'y (2tc8)

Order and Notice of City Election

The State of Texas
County of Medina
City of Castroville

ELECTION ORDER
I, M. Woodrow Sharp, Mayor of the City of Castroville, Texas, by virtue of the power vested in me by law, do hereby order that an election be held in the City of Castroville on April 2nd, 1957, being the first Tuesday thereof, for the purpose of electing the following officers of said City:

Mayor
Aldermen, Two (2)
and that said election shall be held at the City Office in said city. The City Secretary is hereby ordered to prepare and publish a properly executed copy of this order and notice of election at the City Office, the place where the election will be held, said notice being posted (30) days before the date of said election.

Signed and executed on this 12th day of February, A. D., 1957.
M. Woodrow Sharp, Mayor
City of Castroville, Texas
Attest:
(Mrs.) Charlotte Lafferty
City Sec'y

THE STATE OF TEXAS TO ANY SHERIFF OR ANY CONSTABLE WITHIN THE STATE OF TEXAS: GREETING:

You are hereby commanded to cause to be published once each week for four consecutive weeks, the first publication to be at least twenty-eight days before the return date thereof, in a newspaper printed in Medina County, Texas, the accompanying citation, of which the herein below following is a true copy.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION
THE STATE OF TEXAS
TO: FRANCISCO ORONA, DEFENDANT, GREETING:

YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED to appear before the Honorable District Court of Medina County, the 38th Judicial District of Medina County, Texas, at the Courtroom thereof, in Hondo, Texas, by filing a written answer at or before 10 o'clock a.m. of the first Monday next after the expiration of forty-two days from the date of the issuance of this citation, same to be the 8th day of April, 1957, being the 8th day of April, 1957, being the 8th day of January, 1957, in this cause, numbered 1899 on the docket of said Court, and styled Rosa Orona, Plaintiff, vs. Francisco Orona, Defendant.

A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to-wit: A suit for divorce based on the grounds of cruelty, and Plaintiff asking for the care, control and custody of Francisco Orona Jr., a child born to the marriage of plaintiff and defendant; and asking the Court to require the defendant to pay a monthly sum to Plaintiff for the support and maintenance of said child born to said marriage. All as is more fully shown by Plaintiff's Petition on file in this suit.

If this citation is not served within ninety days after the date of its issuance, it shall be returned unserved.

The officer executing this writ shall promptly serve the same according to requirements of law, and the mandates hereof, and make due return as the law directs.

ISSUED AND GIVEN under my hand and the seal of said Court at Hondo, Texas, this

18th day of February, 1957.

ATTEST: Emil Britsch
Clerk of the District Court
of Medina County, Texas
(4tc8)

SHERIFF'S SALE
REAL ESTATE
STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF MEDINA

By virtue of an Execution and Order of Sale issued out of the 38th Judicial District Court in and For Medina County, Texas on the 11th day of December, 1956, by the Clerk thereof in the case of SAN ANTONIO PIPE AND SUPPLY COMPANY

vs. Case No. 4866
TEXAS COAST OIL AND GAS COMPANY

And to me as Sheriff, directed and delivered, I will proceed to sell to the highest bidder, for cash, between the hours of 10:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m. on Tuesday, March 5, A. D., 1957, it being the first Tuesday of said month, at the Courtroom door of said Medina County, Texas, in the City of Hondo, Texas, the following property situated in the County of Medina, State of Texas, and described as follows, to-wit:

The oil, gas and mineral lease known as the J. N. Wilson lease in the Southeastly part of the Medina County, Texas, described as 51.94 acres out of the western part of F. Vanderstucken Survey, Certificate No. 46, Abstract No. 991, fully described in that certain oil and gas mining lease dated August 6, 1955, wherein Oscar F. Schmidt and wife, Sarah Schmidt were lessors and Texas Coast Oil and Gas Company was lessee, recorded in Volume 167, Page 100, Deed Records of Medina County, Texas, to which said lease as recorded reference is here made for all pertinent purposes as fully as if here now set forth verbatim, and upon which said leasehold the Oscar F. Schmidt Well No. 1 is located; and said lien covers said oil and gas mining interests, materials and supplies as furnished for said well, and upon said oil well for which the same was furnished, and upon all other oil wells, leasehold interests and land used in operating for oil upon said leasehold for which materials and supplies were furnished.

Levied on the 30th day of January, 1957 and to be sold to satisfy a judgment dated the 29th day of October, 1956 and recorded in the minutes of said Court in Volume 11 Page 435 in favor of San Antonio Pipe and Supply Company against defendant, Texas Coast Oil and Gas Company.

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Levied on the 30th day of January, 1957 and to be sold to satisfy a judgment dated the 29th day of October, 1956 and recorded in the minutes of said Court in Volume 11 Page 435 in favor of San Antonio Pipe and Supply Company against defendant, Texas Coast Oil and Gas Company on the first count for the sum of Four Hundred Ninety-Two and 82-100 (492.82) Dollars and the further sum of \$85.00 as attorney's fees with interest thereon at the rate of six per cent per annum from March 3, 1956 until paid, and all costs of suit and the further costs of sale, together with a foreclosure of Materialmen's Lien on the above described property as said lien existed on the 3rd day of March, 1956 against the said Texas Coast Oil and Gas Company.

And further, that by virtue of said above described Execution and Order of Sale in said cause, and to me as Sheriff, directed and delivered, I will proceed to sell at the said time and place the following described property, to-wit:

The oil, gas and mineral lease known as the Lenora Schmidt lease in the Southeastly part of Medina County, Texas, described as 277 acres out of the P. E. Durst Survey No. 15, fully described in that certain oil and gas mining lease dated August 6, 1955, wherein Lenora Schmidt was lessor and Texas Coast Oil and Gas Company was lessee, recorded in Volume 167, Page 105 et seq., Deed Records of Medina County, Texas, to which said lease as recorded reference is here made for all pertinent purposes as fully as if here now set forth verbatim, and upon which said leasehold the Oscar F. Schmidt Well No. 1 is located; and said lien covers said oil and gas mining interests, materials and supplies as furnished for said well, and upon said oil well for which the same was furnished, and upon all other oil wells, leasehold interests and land used in operating for oil upon said leasehold for which materials and supplies were furnished.

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San Antonio Pipe and Supply Company against defendant, Texas Coast Oil and Gas Company on the second count for the sum of Four Hundred Seventy-Two and 46-100 (\$472.46) Dollars and the further sum of \$85.00 as attorney's fees with interest thereon at the rate of six per cent per annum from March 3, 1956 until paid, and all costs of suit and the further costs of sale, together with a foreclosure of Materialmen's Lien on the above described property as said lien existed on the 3rd day of March, 1956 against the said Texas Coast Oil and Gas Company.

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Aug. Raggosa Is Graduated From School

FORT GORDON, GA. — Pvt. Augustin Raggosa, son of Mr. Castroville, recently was graduated from the radio relay and carrier operation course at the Army's South Eastern Signal School, Fort Gordon, Ga.

He entered the Army in September 1956 and completed basic training at Fort Leonard Wood, Mo.

The 19-year-old soldier is a 1956 graduate of Port Huron (Mich.) High School.

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Given under my hand January 30, 1957.

Charles Hitzfelder, Sheriff of Medina County, Texas. (3tc6)

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED IN THE OFFICE of the superintendent of schools on March 1, 1957, at one o'clock on one 1937 Ford school bus being offered for sale. This equipment may be seen at Jake Schuehle's Ford Motor Company. Bid proposals may be secured by contacting J. G. Barry, superintendent of schools. (2tc8)

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our sincerest thanks to the many friends and relatives for their many expressions of comforting sympathy, flowers, masses, cards, and help during our recent bereavement.

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SLICED PINEAPPLE . . . 16c
NO. 303—KIMBELL
PIE CHERRIES . . . 23c
WHOLE KERNEL—12-OZ.
KOUNTY KIST CORN . . . 2 for 27c
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LUNCHEON MEAT . . . lb. 39c
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CHEESE . . . lb. 49c
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BACON . . . lb. 63c

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TALL CANS
CARNATION MILK . . . 2 for 27c
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SUNSHINE
CRACKERS . . . lb. 26c
SUNSHINE—8-OZ.
MARSHMALLOWS . . . 13c
SNOW QUEEN ENRICHED
FLOUR . . . 5 lbs. 39c
ALL FLAVORS
JELLO . . . 4 for 35c
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SUGAR . . . 10 lbs. 98c
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PECAN SANDIES . . . lb. bag 46c

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TOMATOES . . . lb. 25c

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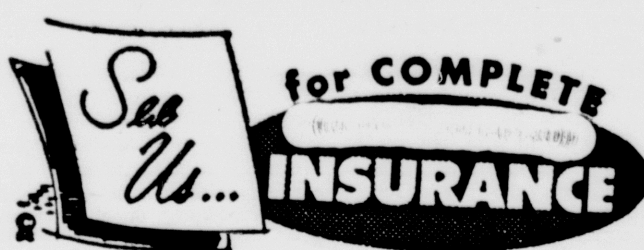
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Friday, Feb. 22, 1957

NEW CAR REGISTRATIONS

Donald R. Simmon, San Antonio, Chev. Cpe.
Jesse A. Murphy, Devine, Chev. four door Sed.
Charles C. Kinter, Devine, Ford four door.
J. H. Hardcastle, Devine, Buick four door Riv.
Briscoe Ranch, Uvalde, Chev. four door.
J. Byron Smith, San Antonio, Chev. Sta. Wgn.
G. R. Haby, Castroville, Ford Tank.
Paul L. Darden, San Antonio, Chev. Spt. Cpe.
Robert L. Paxton, San Antonio, Ford two door.
Tom Lovell, San Antonio, Ford City, Sed.
Walton E. Lipke, San Antonio, Chev. Spt. Cpe.
N. R. Diehl, Hondo, Ford four door.
Lt. John A. Ohlemacher, Hondo, Ford four door.
Jack W. Levy, San Antonio, Chev. four door sed.

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M&M Otto Wiemers and Meryle were guests of Mrs. Katie Muennink Sunday.
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Five More Legislators Join Better Government Campaign

Five more members of the legislature have joined in sponsoring "Better Government" bills advocated by the Texas Press Association.

They are Senators Henry B. Gonzalez of San Antonio, Ottis E. Lock of Lufkin and Andy Rodgers of Childress; and Representatives Don Kennard and Howard Green, both of Fort Worth.

Anti-secrecy bills and bills requiring suits for recovery of misappropriated public funds are among those introduced.

In the intensified drive to make these bills into law, TPA and sponsoring legislators are striving to prevent the recurrence of frauds, or "another Duval," as well as the suppression of information.

Sen. Gonzalez and Rep. Kennard have introduced legislation making it unlawful for government officials at any level, to hold closed meetings. In the legislature the bills are known as SB-88 and HB-69.

Sen. Gonzalez, who has had a career in public office as city councilman and mayor of San Antonio and as chief probation officer of Bexar County, has been an active champion of open meetings. "I have yet to attend a meeting where anything discussed was of such confidential nature that it couldn't be disclosed and aired," he says.

emphatically.
The San Antonio solon, expressing a sincere desire to sponsor this bill said frankly, "Only those who feel that they must cut corners to gain their ends would resort to subterfuge or secrecy. Those are the ones who, in the people's interest, must be thwarted and their designs and intentions aired in public."

The outspoken Senator, saying he did not want to cast disparagement on any official, added, "Unfortunately, power tends to corrupt, therefore the necessity for restraints and safeguards such as this bill provides."

Introducing the companion bill in the House, Representative Kennard said, "I have always felt that anything going on in a public office is due a public hearing." Reiterating, Kennard said, "The people have a right to a full and open hearing."

"I have seen that right abused on both the state and the local level," Kennard continued, "and I am working for the passage of this bill because it will do away with such abuse."

In another attempt at opening public meetings another TPA bill makes political conventions open to the press. It has been introduced in the Senate by Senator Lock and in the House by Representative Green.

Known as SB-94 and HB-108, and stating, "Representatives of newspapers shall have the right" to attend precinct, county and state political conventions, the bill has the 100 per cent support of its sponsors.

Lufkin's Senator Lock sees the whole matter simply as opened and closed. Lock, who said he could see no reason for anyone to oppose such legislation, stated flatly, "News reporters, as well as representatives of other news media, should have the right to attend all political conventions, and for that reason, Senate Bill-94 should be passed."

In a recent speech, Frank Bartholomew, president of United Press, said, "Freedom of the press is a luxury." Rep. Green says he believes it is "a luxury Texas can and must afford."

Serving his first term in the legislature, Green shows his stand on anti-secrecy meetings when he says, "All gatherings in the public interest should be open to the press!"

To emphasize his feeling on closed meetings, Green said, "Meetings are conducted in a more democratic manner if the press is present," adding bluntly, "chicanery has been present at conventions in the past when the press wasn't there."

Sen. Rogers and Rep. Green have introduced SB-224 and HB-167, requiring suits for recovery of public money that has been misappropriated.

This bill makes it incumbent on county, district and criminal district attorneys to institute suits for recovering money unlawfully used, as well as stolen funds.

"If there had been a checkmate of this type in Duval County," Green said, "that situation never would have arisen. This bill is to forestall another 'Duval County'."

Brooking no arguments against this bill, Senator Rogers said forcefully, "This legislation is imperative to protect the public and their interests."

"There is nothing to be gained by being evasive," Rogers said.

"This bill, as well as several others, is designed primarily to prevent corrupt authorities from gaining control of a county and its public moneys, with the blackened example of Duval County outstanding in our memories."

Rogers continued, "If, as in the case of Duval County, the elected officials are involved in a corrupt machine, or because of it, cannot act, this bill allows others to step in. If situations such as this can't be prevented, at least a law such as this bill prescribes could break it up," Rogers pointed out.

"This bill is as vital as any now before the legislature," Rogers said.

Already introduced in the House and Senate are five other "Better Government" bills.

Sponsoring them are Senators Charles F. Herring of Austin, Preston Smith of Lubbock, Doyle Willis of Fort Worth and Crawford C. Martin of Hillsboro; and Representatives Louis H. Anderson of Midland, John R. Lee of Kermit, Howard Green of Fort Worth, Virginia Duff of Ferris, and L. DeWitt Hale of Corpus Christi.

Introducing the veterans bill, notices by veterans seeking to buy land, and designed to make another land scandal practically impossible, were Senator Herring and Representative Anderson. The bill has been given Number 67 in the Senate and 104 in the House.

The mandatory publications bill, providing for removal from office of any official refusing to publish notices as required by existing laws, has been introduced by Senator Smith as SB-55 and by Representative Lee as HB-38.

Sen. Willis and Rep. Green teamed to introduce SB-31 and HB-86. These bills provide for the removal from office of any official who invokes the fifth amendment, and refuses to testify concerning the duties and activities of his office.

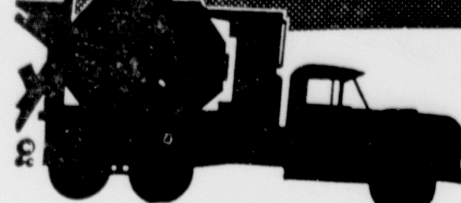
A TPA bill requiring school districts to publish financial statements has been introduced by Senator Martin and Representative Duff. These identical bills are SB-131 and HB-159.

Rep. Hale has introduced HB-199, another TPA proposal, requiring an audit of school district funds.

Happy Birthday

Paul Reger, Feb. 23.
Mike Franger, Feb. 23.
John Anthony Riff, Feb. 24.
Bernie Zerr, Feb. 24.
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Robert Brucks, Feb. 25.
Edgar Sprott, Feb. 25.
Vickie Ann Biediger, Feb. 25.
Mrs. Bessie Sittre, Feb. 25.
Curtis Saathoff, Feb. 25.
Mrs. George Jungman, Feb. 25.
Mrs. August Tschirhart, Feb. 26.
John Wilfred Muennink, Feb. 26.
Tommy Wurzbach, Feb. 26.
Bertha Thomas, Feb. 26.
Royce Hitzfelder, Feb. 26.
Mrs. Erwin Biediger, Feb. 27.
Alma Stinson, Feb. 27.
Dolly Saathoff, Feb. 27.
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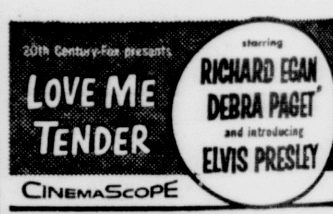


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Chuck Roast . . . lb. 39c

CHOICE VEAL

Round Steak . . . lb. 69c

BEEF

Round Steak . . . lb. 41c

BEEF

Brisket . . . lb. 23c

STEW OR BAR-B-QUE BEEF

Ribs . . . lb. 25c

CHOICE VEAL

Loin Steak . . . lb. 59c

BEEF

Loin Steak . . . lb. 39c

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Franks . . . lb. cello 43c

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Cheese . . . lb. 49c

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Cheese . . . 2-lb. box 79c

Crisco Shortening 3 lbs. 99c
Krafts All Purpose Oil qt. 75c
Karo Syrup red label 25c—blue label 1 1/2 lb. 23c
Dash Dog Food fortified with liver, tall 2-29c
R&W Evaporated Milk tall 2-26c
Pet or Carnation Evaporated Milk tall 2-27c
Carnation Instant Dry Milk 8 qt. 59c
Kraft Miracle Whip Salad Dressing, pt. 33c; qt. 55c
R&W Catsup 14-oz. 21c
Libbys Pickles, Sour, Dill, Kosher, Whole, 22-oz. 31c
Wh. Wings Flour pap. bag 5 lb. 52c; 10 lb. 99c
Colorado Re-cleaned Beans pliofilm . 2 lbs. 25c
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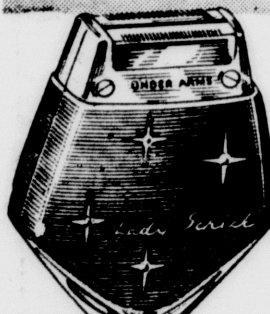
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